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(57) Abstract: Disclosed are methods for detecting non-small cell lung cancer using differentially expressed genes. Furthermore, novel human genes whose expression is elevated in non-small cell lung cancer compared to no-cancerous tissues are provided. Also disclosed are methods of identifying compounds for treating and preventing non-small cell lung cancer.

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DESCRIPTION
METHOD FOR DIAGNOSING NON-SMALL CELL LUNG CANCERS

The present application is related to USSN 60/414,673 , filed September 30, 2002,
5   USSN 60/451,374, filed February 28, 2003, and USSN 60/466,100, filed April 28,2003,
which is incorporated herein by reference.

Technical Field

The present invention relates to the field of biological science, more specifically to
10   the field of cancer research.   In particular, the invention relates to methods of diagnosing
non-small cell lung cancers and genes with elevated or decreased expression in such
cancerous cells.

Background Art

15   Lung cancer is one of the most commonly fatal human tumors.   Many genetic
alterations associated with the development and progression of lung cancer has been
reported.   Although genetic changes can aid prognostic efforts and predictions of
metastatic risk or response to certain treatments, information about a single or a limited
number of molecular markers generally fails to provide satisfactory results for clinical
20   diagnosis of non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC)(Mitsudomi et al., Clin Cancer Res 6:
4055-63 (2000); Niklinski et al., Lung Cancer. 34 Suppl 2: S53-8 (2001); Watine, Bmj 320:
379-80 (2000)). Non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC) is by far the most common form,
accounting for nearly 80% of lung tumors (Society, A. C. Cancer Facts and Figures 2001,
2001.).   The overall 10-year survival rate remains as low as 10% despite recent advances
25   in multi-modality therapy, because the majority of NSCLCs are not diagnosed until
advanced stages (Fry, W. A., Phillips, J. L., and Menck, H. R. Ten-year survey of lung
cancer treatment and survival in hospitals in the United States: a national cancer data
base report, Cancer. 86: 1867-76., 1999.).   Although chemotherapy regimens based on
platinum are considered the reference standards for treatment of NSCLC, those drugs are
30   able to extend survival of patients with advanced NSCLC only about six weeks
(Chemotherapy in non-small cell lung cancer: a meta-analysis using updated data on
individual patients from 52 randomised clinical trials. Non-small Cell Lung Cancer
Collaborative Group, Bmj. 311: 899-909., 1995.).   Numerous targeted therapies are being
investigated for this disease, including tyrosine kinase inhibitors, but so far promising
35   results have been achieved in only a limited number of patients and some recipients suffer
severe adverse reactions (Kris M, N. R., Herbst RS A phase II trial of ZD1839 ('Iressa') in

advanced non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC) patients who had failed platinum- and docetaxel-based regimens (IDEAL 2)., Proc Am Soc Clin Oncol. *21:*292a(A1166), 2002).

cDNA microarray technologies have enabled to obtain comprehensive profiles of gene expression in normal and malignant cells, and compare the gene expression in

5   malignant and corresponding normal cells (Okabe et al., Cancer Res 61:2129-37 (2001); Kitahara et al., Cancer Res 61: 3544-9 (2001); Lin et al., Oncogene 21:4120-8 (2002); Hasegawa et al., Cancer Res 62:7012-7 (2002)).   This approach enables to disclose the complex nature of cancer cells, and helps to understand the mechanism of carcinogenesis. Identification of genes that are deregulated in tumors can lead to more precise and accurate

10   diagnosis of individual cancers, and to develop novel therapeutic targets (Bienz and Clevers, Cell 103:311-20 (2000)).   To disclose mechanisms underlying tumors from a genome-wide point of view, and discover target molecules for diagnosis and development of novel therapeutic drugs, the present inventors have been analyzing the expression profiles of tumor cells using a cDNA microarray of 23040 genes (Okabe et al., Cancer Res

15   61:2129-37 (2001); Kitahara et al., Cancer Res 61:3544-9 (2001); Lin et al., Oncogene 21:4120-8 (2002); Hasegawa et al., Cancer Res 62:7012-7 (2002)).

Studies designed to reveal mechanisms of carcinogenesis have already facilitated identification of molecular targets for anti-tumor agents.   For example, inhibitors of farnexyltransferase (FTIs) which were originally developed to inhibit the growth-signaling

20   pathway related to Ras, whose activation depends on posttranslational farnesylation, has been effective in treating Ras-dependent tumors in animal models (He et al., Cell 99:335-45 (1999)).   Clinical trials on human using a combination or anti-cancer drugs and anti-HER2 monoclonal antibody, trastuzumab, have been conducted to antagonize the proto-oncogene receptor HER2/neu; and have been achieving improved clinical response

25   and overall survival of breast-cancer patients (Lin et al., Cancer Res 61:6345-9 (2001)). A tyrosine kinase inhibitor, STI-571, which selectively inactivates bcr-abl fusion proteins, has been developed to treat chronic myelogenous leukemias wherein constitutive activation of bcr-abl tyrosine kinase plays a crucial role in the transformation of leukocytes.   Agents of these kinds are designed to suppress oncogenic activity of specific gene products (Fujita

30   et al., Cancer Res 61:7722-6 (2001)).   Therefore, gene products commonly up-regulated in cancerous cells may serve as potential targets for developing novel anti-cancer agents.

It has been demonstrated that CD8+ cytotoxic T lymphocytes (CTLs) recognize epitope peptides derived from tumor-associated antigens (TAAs) presented on MHC Class I molecule, and lyse tumor cells.   Since the discovery of MAGE family as the first

35   example of TAAs, many other TAAs have been discovered using immunological approaches (Boon, Int J Cancer 54: 177-80 (1993); Boon and van der Bruggen, J Exp Med

183: 725-9 (1996); van der Bruggen et al., Science 254: 1643-7 (1991); Brichard et al., J Exp Med 178: 489-95 (1993); Kawakami et al., J Exp Med 180: 347-52 (1994)). Some of the discovered TAAs are now in the stage of clinical development as targets of immunotherapy. TAAs discovered so far include MAGE (van der Bruggen et al., Science

5   254: 1643-7 (1991)), gp100 (Kawakami et al., J Exp Med 180: 347-52 (1994)), SART (Shichijo et al., J Exp Med 187: 277-88 (1998)), and NY-ESO-1 (Chen et al., Proc Natl Acad Sci USA 94: 1914-8 (1997)). On the other hand, gene products which had been demonstrated to be specifically overexpressed in tumor cells, have been shown to be recognized as targets inducing cellular immune responses. Such gene products include

10   p53 (Umano et al., Brit J Cancer 84: 1052-7 (2001)), HER2/neu (Tanaka et al., Brit J Cancer 84: 94-9 (2001)), CEA (Nukaya et al., Int J Cancer 80: 92-7 (1999)), and so on.

In spite of significant progress in basic and clinical research concerning TAAs (Rosenbeg et al., Nature Med 4: 321-7 (1998); Mukherji et al., Proc Natl Acad Sci USA 92: 8078-82 (1995); Hu et al., Cancer Res 56: 2479-83 (1996)), only limited number of

15   candidate TAAs for the treatment of adenocarcinomas, including colorectal cancer, are available. TAAs abundantly expressed in cancer cells, and at the same time which expression is restricted to cancer cells would be promising candidates as immunotherapeutic targets. Further, identification of new TAAs inducing potent and specific antitumor immune responses is expected to encourage clinical use of peptide

20   vaccination strategy in various types of cancer (Boon and can der Bruggen, J Exp Med 183: 725-9 (1996); van der Bruggen et al., Science 254: 1643-7 (1991); Brichard et al., J Exp Med 178: 489-95 (1993); Kawakami et al., J Exp Med 180: 347-52 (1994); Shichijo et al., J Exp Med 187: 277-88 (1998); Chen et al., Proc Natl Acad Sci USA 94: 1914-8 (1997); Harris, J Natl Cancer Inst 88: 1442-5 (1996); Butterfield et al., Cancer Res 59:

25   3134-42 (1999); Vissers et al., Cancer Res 59: 5554-9 (1999); van der Burg et al., J Immunol 156: 3308-14 (1996); Tanaka et al., Cancer Res 57: 4465-8 (1997); Fujie et al., Int J Cancer 80: 169-72 (1999); Kikuchi et al., Int J Cancer 81: 459-66 (1999); Oiso et al., Int J Cancer 81: 387-94 (1999)).

It has been repeatedly reported that peptide-stimulated peripheral blood

30   mononuclear cells (PBMCs) from certain healthy donors produce significant levels of IFN-γ in response to the peptide, but rarely exert cytotoxicity against tumor cells in an HLA-A24 or –A0201 restricted manner in ^{51}Cr-release assays (Kawano et al., Cance Res 60: 3550-8 (2000); Nishizaka et al., Cancer Res 60: 4830-7 (2000); Tamura et al., Jpn J Cancer Res 92: 762-7 (2001)). However, both of HLA-A24 and HLA-A0201 are one of

35   the popular HLA alleles in Japanese, as well as Caucasian (Date et al., Tissue Antigens 47: 93-101 (1996); Kondo et al., J Immunol 155: 4307-12 (1995); Kubo et al., J Immunol 152:

3913-24 (1994); Imanishi et al., Proceeding of the eleventh International
Hictocompatibility Workshop and Conference Oxford University Press, Oxford, 1065
(1992); Williams et al., Tissue Antigen 49: 129 (1997)).   Thus, antigenic peptides of
cancers presented by these HLAs may be especially useful for the treatment of cancers
5   among Japanese and Caucasian.   Further, it is known that the induction of low-affinity
CTL *in vitro* usually results from the use of peptide at a high concentration, generating a
high level of specific peptide/MHC complexes on antigen presenting cells (APCs), which
will effectively activate these CTL (Alexander-Miller et al., Proc Natl Acad Sci USA 93:
4102-7 (1996)).

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<u>Summary of the Invention</u>
        The present invention is based on the discovery of a pattern of gene expression
correlated with non-small cell lung cancer, *e.g.*, squamous cell carcinoma, adenocarcinoma
(*i.e.*, acinar, papillary and bronchoalveolar), large cell carcinoma (*i.e.*, giant cell and clear
15   cell), adenosquamous carcinoma and undifferentiated carcinoma.
        The genes that are differentially expressed in non-small cell lung cancer are
collectively referred to herein as "non-small cell lung cancer-associated gene", "NSC
nucleic acids" or "NSC polynucleotides", and polypeptides encoded by the genes are
referred to as "NSC polypeptides" or "NSC proteins".   Herein, differentially expressed in
20   non-small cell lung cancer indicates that the expression level of a gene in a non-small cell
lung cancer cell differs from that in a normal cell.   A normal cell is one obtained from
lung tissue.
        Thus, the invention features a method of diagnosing or determining a predisposition
to non-small cell lung cancer in a subject by determining an expression level of a
25   non-small cell lung cancer-associated gene in a patient derived biological sample.   A
non-small cell lung cancer-associated gene includes, *e.g.*, NSC 1-1448 (see Tables 1-3).
An alteration, *e.g.*, increase or decrease of the expression level of a gene compared to a
normal control level of the gene indicates that the subject suffers from or is at risk of
developing non-small cell lung cancer.
30   A "normal control level" indicates an expression level of a gene detected in a
normal, healthy individual or in a population of individuals known not to be suffering from
non-small cell lung cancer.   A control level is a single expression pattern derived from a
single reference population or from a plurality of expression patterns.   In contrast to a
"normal control level", the "control level" is an expression level of a gene detected in an
35   individual or a population of individuals whose background of the disease state is known
(i.e., cancerous or non-cancerous).   Thus, the control level may be determined base on the

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expression level of a gene in a normal, healthy individual, in a population of individuals known not to be suffering from non-small cell lung cancer, a patient of non-small cell lung cancer or a population of the patients.   The control level corresponding to the expression level of a gene in a patient of non-small cell lung cancer or a population of the patients are

5   referred to as "non-small cell lung cancer control level".   Furthermore, the control level can be a database of expression patterns from previously tested cells.

        An increase in the expression level of any one or a panel of the genes of NSC 807-1448 detected in a test biological sample compared to a normal control level indicates that the subject (from which the sample was obtained) suffers from or is at risk of

10   developing non-small cell lung cancer.   In contrast, a decrease in the expression level of any one or a panel of the genes of NSC 1-806 detected in a test biological sample compared to a normal control level indicates that the subject suffers from or is at risk of developing non-small cell lung cancer.   Alternatively, the expression level of any one or a panel of non-small cell lung cancer-associated genes in a biological sample may be

15   compared to a non-small cell lung cancer control level of the same gene or the same panel of genes.

        Gene expression is increased or decreased 10%, 25%, 50% or more compared to the control level.   Alternatively, gene expression is increased or decreased 1, 2, 5 or more fold compared to the control level.   Expression is determined by detecting hybridization,

20   e.g., on a chip or an array, of a non-small cell lung cancer-associated gene probe to a gene transcript of a patient-derived biological sample.   The patient-derived biological sample may be any sample derived from a subject, e.g., a patient known to or suspected of having non-small cell lung cancer.   For example, the biological sample may be tissue containing sputum, blood, serum, plasma or lung cell.

25   The invention also provides a non-small cell lung cancer reference expression profile comprising a pattern of gene expression levels of two or more of NSC 1-1448.

        The invention further provides methods of identifying compounds that inhibit or enhance the expression or activity of a non-small cell lung cancer-associated gene (e.g., NSC 1-1448) by contacting a test cell expressing a non-small cell lung cancer-associated

30   gene with a test compound and determining the expression level or activity of the non-small cell lung cancer-associated gene.   The test cell may be a lung cell such as a lung epithelial cell.   A decrease of the expression level compared to a normal control level of the gene indicates that the test compound is an inhibitor of the expression or function of the non-small cell lung cancer-associated gene.   Therefore, if a compound

35   suppresses the expression level of a non-small cell lung cancer-associated gene of NSC 807-1448 compared to a normal control level, the compound is expected to reduce a

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symptom of non-small cell lung cancer.   Alternatively, an increase of the expression level
or activity compared to a normal control level of the gene indicates that said test compound
is an enhancer of the expression or function of the non-small cell lung cancer-associated
gene.   The compounds that increase the expression level of a non-small cell

5   lung-associated gene of NSC 1-806 are expected to reduce a symptom of non-small cell
lung cancer.

       Alternatively, the present invention provides a method of screening for a compound
for treating or preventing non-small cell lung cancer.   The method includes contacting a
NSC polypeptide with a test compound, and selecting the test compound that binds to or

10   alters the biological activity of the NSC polypeptide.   The invention further provides a
method of screening for a compound for treating or preventing non-small cell lung cancer,
which includes the steps of contacting a test compound with a cell that expresses the NSC
protein or introduced with a vector comprising the transcriptional regulatory region of the
NSC gene upstream of a reporter gene, and then selecting the test compound that alters the

15   expression level of the NSC protein or protein encoded by the reporter gene.   According
to these screening methods, when a polypeptide encoded by NSC 807-1448 or a cell
expressing the protein encoded by NSC 807-1448 or the transcriptional regulatory region
of NSC 807-1448 is used, the test compound that suppresses the biological activity or the
expression level compared to a normal control level is expected to reduce a symptom of

20   non-small cell lung cancer.   Alternatively, when a polypeptide encoded by NSC 1-806 or
a cell expressing the protein encoded by NSC 1-806 or the transcriptional regulatory region
of NSC 1-806 is used, the test compound that increases the expression level expected to
reduce a symptom of non-small cell lung cancer.

       The invention also provides a kit comprising two or more detection reagents which

25   bind to one or more NSC nucleic acids or which binds to a gene product (e.g., mRNA and
polypeptide) of the NSC nucleic acids.   Also provided is an array of polynucleotides that
binds to one or more NSC nucleic acids.

       Methods for treating or preventing non-small cell lung cancer and compositions to
be used for such methods are also provided.   Therapeutic methods include a method of

30   treating or preventing non-small cell lung cancer in a subject by administering to the
subject a composition of an antisense, short interfering RNA (siRNA) or a ribozyme that
reduce the expression of a gene of NSC 807-1448, or a composition comprising an
antibody or fragment thereof that binds and suppresses the function of a polyepeptide
encoded by the gene.

35   The invention also includes vaccines and vaccination methods.   For example, a
method of treating or preventing non-small cell lung cancer in a subject is carried out by

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administering to the subject a vaccine containing a polypeptide encoded by a
polynucleotide of NSC 807-1448 or an immunologically active fragment of the
polypeptide.   An immunologically active fragment is a polypeptide that is shorter in
length than the full-length naturally-occurring protein and which induces an immune
5   response upon introduction into the body.   For example, an immunologically active
fragment includes a polypeptide at least 8 residues in length that stimulates an immune cell
such as a T cell or a B cell *in vivo*.   Immune cell stimulation can be measured by detecting
cell proliferation, elaboration of cytokines (*e.g.*, IL-2) or production of antibody.

       Other therapeutic methods include those wherein a compound that increases the
10   expression level of a gene of NSC 1-806 or the activity of a polypeptide encoded by the
gene of NSC 1-806 is administered to the subject.   Alternatively, non-small cell lung
cancer may be treated or prevented by administering a polynucleotide (e.g., included in a
vector) of NSC 1-806 or a polypeptide encoded by the polynucleotide.   Furthermore, the
present invention provides methods for treating or preventing non-small cell lung cancer
15   wherein a compound selected by the screening method of the present invention is
administered.

       In a further aspect, the invention provides a substantially pure polypeptide
comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO: 2.   The amino acid sequence may be
mutated by substitution, deletion, insertion and/or addition of at least 1, 2, 3, 5, 10, 25, 50,
20   100 or 200 amino acids so long as the polypeptide having the amino acid sequence retains
one or more biological activities of a protein consisting of the amino acid sequence of SEQ
ID NO: 2.   The mutated polypeptide is at least 85%, 90%, 95 % or 99% identical to a
polypeptide that includes the amino acid sequences of SEQ ID NO: 2.   Also included is a
polypeptide encoded by a polynucleotide that hybridizes to the nucleic acid sequence of
25   SEQ ID NO: 1.   The polynucleotide hybridizes under stringent, moderately stringent or
low stringent conditions to the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO: 1.

       As used herein, the phrase "stringent (hybridization) conditions" refers to
conditions under which a probe, primer or oligonucleotide will hybridize to its target
sequence, but to no other sequences.   Stringent conditions are sequence-dependent and
30   will be different under different circumstances.   Specific hybridization of longer
sequences are observed at higher temperatures than shorter sequences.   Generally, the
temperature of a stringent condition is selected to be about 5°C lower than the thermal
melting point (T_m) for a specific sequence at a defined ionic strength and pH.   The Tm is
the temperature (under defined ionic strength, pH and nucleic acid concentration) at which
35   50% of the probes complementary to the target sequence hybridize to the target sequence
at equilibrium.   Since the target sequences are generally present at excess, at Tm, 50% of

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the probes are occupied at equilibrium. Typically, stringent conditions will be those in which the salt concentration is less than about 1.0 M sodium ion, typically about 0.01 to 1.0 M sodium ion (or other salts) at pH 7.0 to 8.3 and the temperature is at least about 30°C for short probes, primers or oligonucleotides (*e.g.*, 10 to 50 nucleotides) and at least about

5   60°C for longer probes, primers and oligonucleotides. Stringent conditions may also be achieved with the addition of destabilizing agents, such as formamide.

The present invention further provides isolated polynucleotides encoding the above-described polypeptides of the present invention. As used herein, an isolated polynucleotide is a polynucleotide the structure of which is not identical to that of any

10   naturally occurring polynucleotide or to that of any fragment of a naturally occurring genomic polynucleotide spanning more than three separate genes. The term therefore includes, for example, (a) a DNA which has the sequence of part of a naturally occurring genomic DNA molecule in the genome of the organism in which it naturally occurs; (b) a polynucleotide incorporated into a vector or into the genomic DNA of a prokaryote or

15   eukaryote in a manner such that the resulting molecule is not identical to any naturally occurring vector or genomic DNA; (c) a separate molecule such as a cDNA, a genomic fragment, a fragment produced by polymerase chain reaction (PCR), or a restriction fragment; and (d) a recombinant nucleotide sequence that is part of a hybrid gene, *i.e.*, a gene encoding a fusion polypeptide. Preferably, the isolated nucleic acid molecule is at

20   least 65%, 70%, 75%, 80%, 85%, 90%, 91%, 92%, 93%, 94%, 95%, 96%, 97%, 98%, 99%, or more, identical to the nucleotide sequence shown in SEQ ID NO: 1. In the case of an isolated polynucleotide which is longer than or equivalent in length to the reference sequence, e.g., SEQ ID NO: 1, the comparison is made with the full length of the reference sequence. Where the isolated polynucleotide is shorter than the reference sequence, e.g.,

25   shorter than SEQ ID NO: 1, the comparison is made to segment of the reference sequence of the same length (excluding any loop required by the homology calculation).

Also included in the invention is a vector containing one or more of the nucleic acids described herein and a cell containing the vectors or nucleic acids of the invention. The invention is also directed to host cells transformed with a vector comprising any of the

30   polynucleotides described above.

The invention also features methods for producing the polypeptides described herein by culturing a cell containing a vector comprising the isolated polynucleotide of SEQ ID NO: 1.

In still a further aspect, the invention provides an antibody that specifically binds to

35   the polypeptides of SEQ ID NO: 2, or a fragment thereof. The antibody may be monoclonal or polyclonal. In part, a polynucleotide that is complementary to or an

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antisense polynucleotide (*e.g.*, antisense DNA), ribozyme and siRNA (small interfering RNA) of the polynucleotides of the invention is also provided.   Such polynucleotide constructs may be used for detecting the polynucleotide of the invention, *i.e.*, diagnosing non-small cell lung cancer, or for treating or preventing the disease.

5   The present invention further provides antisense polynucleotides having the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO: 423, 425, 427, 429, 431, 433, 435, 437, 439, 441, 443, 445, 447, 449, 451, 453, 455, 457, 459, 461, 463, 465, 467, 469, 471, 473, 475, 477, 479, 481, 483, 485, 487, 489, 491, 493, 495, 497, 499, 501, 503, 505, 507, 509, 511, 513, 515, 517, 519, 521, 523, 525, 527, 529, or 531.   All of the polynucleotides having any of these

10   nucleotide sequences were demonstrated to be effective for suppressing focus formation of NSCLC cell lines.

Furthermore, the present invention provides siRNAs having the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO: 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551,or 552 .   All of the siRNAs having any of these nucleotide

15   sequences were demonstrated to be effective for suppressing cell viability of NSCLC cell lines.

The present application also provides a pharmaceutical composition for treating non-small cell lung cancer using any of the antisense polynucleotides or siRNAs, as well as methods for treating or preventing non-small cell lung cancer using the composition.

20   The invention further provides pharmaceutical composition for treating non-small cell lung cancer, which contains a polypeptide having the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO: 2, functionally equivalents thereof, or polynucleotides encoding any of them.   The polynucleotide included in the composition may be incorporated in a vector to be expressed *in vivo*.

25   The course of action of the pharmaceutical compositions of the present invention is desirably to inhibit growth of the cancerous cells.   The pharmaceutical composition may be applied to mammals including humans and domesticated mammals.

In addition, the present invention provides methods for inducing anti tumor immunity by administering an upregulated NSC polypeptide (e.g., NSC 807-1448) or

30   immunologically active fragment thereof, or polynucleotide encoding them.

Unless otherwise defined, all technical and scientific terms used herein have the same meaning as commonly understood by one of ordinary skill in the art to which this invention belongs.   Although methods and materials similar or equivalent to those described herein can be used in the practice or testing of the present invention, suitable

35   methods and materials are described below.   All publications, patent applications, patents and other references mentioned herein are incorporated by reference in their entirety.   In

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case of conflict, the present specification, including definitions, will control.   In addition,
the materials, methods and examples are illustrative only and not intended to be limiting.

It is to be understood that both the foregoing summary of the invention and the
following detailed description are of a preferred embodiment, and not restrictive of the
5   invention or other alternate embodiments of the invention.

Brief Description of the Drawings

Fig. 1 depict photographs of blots showing over-expressed in lung cancer cell of
200 genes confirmed by semi-quantitative RT-PCR.   Lung cancer cells obtained from
10   lung cancer patients by LCM methodsFig.2 depicts the growth-inhibitory effect of
antisense S-origonucleotides designated to suppress NSC 810, NSC 811, NSC 812, NSC
825, NSC 841, NSC 857, NSC 859, NSC 893, NSC 905, NSC 947, NSC 956, NSC 994,
NSC 1075, NSC 1107, NSC 1191 and NSC 1389 in lung cancer cell lines.   Fig.2 depicts
the results of MTT assay showing inhibition of cell growth by NSC 810-AS, NSC
15   811-AS1, NSC 811-AS2, NSC 811-AS4, NSC 812-AS1, NSC 812-AS2, NSC 825-AS1,
NSC 825-AS3, NSC 825-AS5, NSC 841-AS4, NSC 841-AS5, NSC 857-AS3, NSC
857-AS4, NSC 859-AS2, NSC 859-AS3, NSC 859-AS5, NSC 893-AS1, NSC 893-AS2,
NSC 905-AS2, NSC 905-AS3, NSC 905-AS5, NSC 947-AS1, NSC 947-AS2, NSC
947-AS3, NSC 947-AS4, NSC 956-AS1, NSC 956-AS2, NSC 994-AS1, NSC 994-AS3,
20   NSC 994-AS4, NSC 994-AS5, NSC 1075-AS5, NSC 1107-AS1, NSC 1107-AS4, NSC
1191-AS2, NSC 1191-AS4, NSC 1191-AS5 and NSC 1389-AS.

Fig. 3 depicts the growth suppressive effect of siRNAs (NSC 807-si1, NSC 810-si1,
NSC 825-si1, NSC 825-si2, NSC 841-si1, NSC 841-si2, NSC 903-si1, NSC 903-si2, NSC
956-si1, NSC 956-si2, NSC 994-si1, NSC 1107-si1, NSC 1107-si2, NSC 1107-si3, NSC
25   1107-si4, NSC 1107-si5, NSC 1191-si2, NSC 1246-si2 and   NSC 1389-si2) on lung
cancer cell lines.   Fig.3A depicts the results of MTT assay on A549 cells transfected with
vectors expressing control-siRNA or target-siRNA. Fig.3B depicts the results of MTT
assay on LC319 cells transfected with vectors expressing control-siRNA or target-siRNA.
Fig.3C shows a microgram of timelapse imaging of the siRNA transfected-LC319 cells.
30   Fig.3D depicts the results of Flow cytometry analysis showing the cell cycle profile of
siRNA transfected cells.   Fig.3E is a photograph showing the result of Western blotting
illustrating the expression and inhibition by siRNA of native protein in LC319 cells
detected by two different monoclonal antibodies.   Fig.3F, G and H show the cytochrome
c oxidase (CCO) activity and its inhibition by COX17 RNAi in A549 cells.   Fig. 3F
35   depicts a schematic illustration of CCO activity measurement.   Fig. 3G depicts the result
of Western blotting confirming the fractionation of A549 cells transfected with COX17

RNAi, cytoplasmic and mitochondria fractions of the cells using mouse monoclonal antibody to human mitochondria (MAB1273; CHEMICON, Temecula, CA). Fig. 3H shows the reduced CCO activity due to the suppression of the endogenous COX17 gene, 2 or 5 days after transfection.

Fig. 4 shows a photograph depicting the expression of NSC 807, NSC 810, NSC 811, NSC 822, NSC 825, NSC 841, NSC 849, NSC 855, NSC 859, NSC 885, NSC 895, NSC 903, NSC 904, NSC 905, NSC 915, NSC 948, NSC 956, NSC 994, NSC 1000, NSC 1066, NSC 1075, NSC 1107, NSC 1113, NSC 1131, NSC 1141, NSC 1164, NSC 1183, NSC 1201, NSC 1240, NSC 1246, NSC 1254, NSC 1265, NSC 1277, NSC 1295, NSC 1306, NSC 1343, NSC 1362, NSC 1389, NSC 1399, NSC 1406, NSC 1413, and NSC 1420 in various human tissues analyzed by multiple-tissue northern blot analysis.

Fig. 5A depicts a photograph showing subcellular localization of NSC 849, NSC 855, NSC 895, NSC 915, NSC 948, NSC 1000, NSC 1103, NSC 1164, NSC 1201, NSC 1288, NSC 1295, NSC 1389, NSC 1420 and NSC 1441 observed by immunocytochemistry on COS-7 cells transfected with the c-myc-His tagged NSC-gene expression vector using anti-His monoclonal antibody and Rhodamine conjugated secondary anti-mouse IgG antibody for visualization. Nuclei were counter-stained with DAPI. Fig.5B depicts a photograph showing the results of Western blot analysis of c-myc tagged NSC 895, NSC 1164 and NSC 1295 secreted in the culture medium.

Fig. 6 depicts the effect of NSC-gene on cell growth in COS-7 cells stably transfected with c-myc-His tagged expression vector. Fig. 6a shows the expression of NSC 810, NSC 841 and NSC 1389 in stably transfected COS-7 cells detected by Western blotting. Fig. 6b shows the effect of NSC 810, NSC 841 and NSC 1389 on the growth of COS-7 cells. 2 or 3 independent transfectants expressing high levels of NSC 810(COS7-TTK-1 and 2), NSC 841(NIH3T3-URLC2- 3 and 5) and NSC 1389 (COS-7-NMU-2, 3 and 5) and control (mock) were cultured in triplicate. Cell viability was measured by MTT assay.

Fig. 7 shows the effect of NMU on cell growth examined by autocrine system. Fig 7A shows the result of autocrine assay of NMU. An active form of the 25 amino acid polypeptides of NMU (NMU-25) and BSA (control) protein were added to individual COS-7 cells every 48 hours. 7 days after the addition, cell numbers were counted by MTT assay. Fig 7B shows the growth-inhibitory effect of anti-NMU antibody on COS-7 cells treated with NMU-25. Fig 7C shows the growth-inhibitory effect of anti-NMU antibody on LC319 cells, which endogenously overexpress NMU.

Fig. 8 depicts the result of Western blot analysis confirming overexpression of TTK protein in NSCLC cell lines, A549, LC319 and NCI-H522.

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Fig. 9 shows the result of immunohistchemical staining of NSC 947, NSC 1164, NSC 1295 and NSC 1389 in clinical samples including adenocarcinoma, squamous cell carcinoma and normal lung with anti- NSC 947 antibody, anti-NSC 1164 antibody, anti-NSC 1295 antibody and anti- NSC 1389 antibody.

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Detailed Description of the Invention

The words "a", "an", and "the" as used herein mean "at least one" unless otherwise specifically indicated.

The present invention is based in part on the discovery of changes in the expression
10   patterns of multiple genes in lung cells from primary lung cancer tissues of patients suffering lung cancer.   The difference in the expression level of genes were identified by comprehensive cDNA microarray system.

The cDNA microarray analysis was performed on 23040 genes to select genes that are commonly over-expressed or suppressed among non-small cell lung cancer patients.
15   1448 genes were found differentially expressed according to the present invention. Among them, 642 genes were up-regulated and 806 genes were down-regulated.

The genes identified by the microarray analysis were further screened by antisense S-oligonucleotide and/or siRNA technique to identify candidate genes as targets for the development of therapeutic drugs or immunotherapy.   Antisense S-oligonucleotides and
20   siRNA are short, synthetic stretches of DNA/RNA which hybridize with specific mRNA strands that correspond to target genes (Jansen and Zangemeister-Wittke, Lancet Oncol 3: 672-83 (2002); Brummenlkamp et al., Science 296: 550-3 (2002)).   By binding to the mRNA, antisense oligonucleotides prevent translation of target genes into proteins, as a result blocking the action of the genes (Jansen and Zangemeister-Wittke, Lancet Oncol 3:
25   672-83 (2002)).   In contrast, siRNA is a sequence-specific double-stranded RNA which is introduced into cells to cause a nonheritable, epigenetic knockout of the gene function that phenocopies a null mutation in the targeted gene (Brummenlkamp et al., Science 296: 550-3 (2002)).   This combined approach using an integrated gene-expression database of non-small cell lung cancers and epigenetic knock-down of up-regulated genes provides a
30   powerful strategy for rapid identification and evaluation of target molecules for a personalized therapy.   The genes have been identified, that regulate growth, proliferation and/or survival of NSCLC cells.   These genes encode proteins which function in the autocrine, cell cycle/growth and signal transduction, or products with unknown function.

The differentially expressed genes identified herein can be used for diagnostic
35   purposes and to develop gene targeted therapeutic approaches for inhibiting non-small cell lung cancer.

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The genes whose expression levels are modulated (*i.e.*, increased or decreased) in non-small cell lung cancer patients are summarized in Tables 1-3 and are collectively referred to herein as "non-small cell lung cancer-associated genes", "NSC genes ", "NSC nucleic acids" or "NSC polynucleotides" and polypeptides encoded by them are referred to as "NSC polypeptides" or "NSC proteins". Unless indicated otherwise, "NSC" refers to any of the sequences disclosed herein (*e.g.*, NSC 1-1448). The genes have been previously described and are presented along with a database accession number.

Table1   down-regulated genes

NSC Assign ment	LMMID	Acc	Symbol	TITLE
1	A2125	M31452	C4BPA	complement component 4-binding protein, alpha
2	A0386	K02215	SERPINA8	serine (or cysteine) proteinase inhibitor, clade A (alpha antiproteinase, antitrypsin), member 8
3	B3893	AA573809	ITLN	Intelectin
4	A0038N	W73825	TCF21	transcription factor 21
5	C8088	D87465	KIAA0275	KIAA0275 gene product
6	D1273	AJ001015	RAMP2	receptor (calcitonin) activity modifying protein 2
7	C7138	X64559	TNA	tetranectin (plasminogen-binding protein)
8	C7919	X79981	CDH5	cadherin 5, type 2, VE-cadherin (vascular epithelium)
9	A2202	AJ001016	RAMP3	receptor (calcitonin) activity modifying protein 3
10	A0960	U60115	FHL1	four and a half LIM domains 1
11	A0760	L05568	SLC6A4	solute carrier family 6 (neurotransmitter transporter, serotonin), member 4
12	A2415	M15856	LPL	lipoprotein lipase
13	A8600	AI200539		Homo sapiens cDNA: FLJ22690 fis, clone HSI11134
14	A4375N	AB008109	RGS5	regulator of G-protein signalling 5
15	A0919N	X55635	MRC1	mannose receptor, C type 1
16	A6696	AA491502	C1QR	complement component C1q receptor
17	B1090N	AA156022	FLJ20798	hypothetical protein
18	C0893	AA122287	GARP	glycoprotein A repetitions predominant
19	C1603	U01317	HBB	hemoglobin, beta
20	C0724	AA573140		ESTs
21	C8046	X54380	PZP	pregnancy-zone protein
22	C6234	AI247176	DKFZP586L2024	DKFZP586L2024 protein
23	B5155	W84893	AGTRL1	angiotensin receptor-like 1
·24	A6358	AA533191		ESTs, Weakly similar to ALU7_HUMAN ALU SUBFAMILY SQ SEQUENCE CONTAMINATION WARNING ENTRY [H.sapiens]
25	B3794N	N94777		ESTs
26	B9790	AA054482	LOC51267	C-type lectin-like receptor
27	C8228	L36033	SDF1	stromal cell-derived factor 1
28	E0733	AI459767	SPARCL1	SPARC-like 1 (mast9, hevin)
29	C2324	AA036631		ESTs

30	A2508	X03350	ADH2	alcohol dehydrogenase 2 (class I), beta polypeptide
31	B7122	AA480009		Homo sapiens cDNA FLJ13569 fis, clone PLACE1008369
32	A7775	AA922655	FGL2	fibrinogen-like 2
33	A0702N	AA449301	FLT1	fms-related tyrosine kinase 1 (vascular endothelial growth factor/vascular permeability factor receptor)
34	A4630	U89281	RODH	oxidative 3 alpha hydroxysteroid dehydrogenase; retinol dehydrogenase; 3-hydroxysteroid epimerase
35	A1739	J02761	SFTPB	surfactant, pulmonary-associated protein B
36	A6712	W76197	DLC1	Deleted in liver cancer 1
37	A4829N	D63412	AQP4	aquaporin 4
38	B5205N	AI096938	KIAA0758	KIAA0758 protein
39	D4204	AA868130		ESTs, Moderately similar to C4BP_HUMAN C4B-BINDING PROTEIN ALPHA CHAIN PRECURSOR [H.sapiens]
40	C1604	AA044381	HSD11B1	hydroxysteroid (11-beta) dehydrogenase 1
41	A2460	AF000959	CLDN5	claudin 5 (transmembrane protein deleted in velocardiofacial syndrome)
42	A3360	S77410	AGTR1	angiotensin receptor 1
43	A1423	L38486	MFAP4	microfibrillar-associated protein 4
44	B9634	AI094298		ESTs
45	B8029	AI090219		ESTs
46	D8515	U21128	LUM	lumican
47	A2195	AF022813	TM4SF7	transmembrane 4 superfamily member 7
48	B8384	AA147582		ESTs
49	B8411	AA122240		Homo sapiens cDNA FLJ13612 fis, clone PLACE1010833, weakly similar to CALTRACTIN
50	B9603	AI347579		ESTs
51	A6717	AA487952	SYNEB	synaptic nuclei expressed gene 1b
52	D0946	AA780308	KSP37	Ksp37 protein
53	C6387	AI022180		ESTs
54	A2542	J02874	FABP4	fatty acid binding protein 4, adipocyte
55	A3412	M10321	VWF	von Willebrand factor
56	A4043	AA777648	PMP22	peripheral myelin protein 22
57	A1818N	AA600048	CALD1	caldesmon 1
58	A2633N	D13628	ANGPT1	angiopoietin 1
59	C4884	AA150200		ESTs, Weakly similar to tuftelin [M.musculus]
60	B7922	AI004344		Homo sapiens cDNA: FLJ21042 fis, clone CAE11204
61	D3758	AI193122		ESTs
62	A3037	D12763	IL1RL1	interleukin 1 receptor-like 1
63	D9082	AI123738		ESTs
64	A2403	S53911	CD34	CD34 antigen
65	C7654	AA142989		ESTs
66	A1610	X58295	GPX3	glutathione peroxidase 3 (plasma)
67	A6545	M98479	TGM2	transglutaminase 2 (C polypeptide, protein-glutamine-gamma-glutamyltransferase)
68	A8531	AA634913	FBLN5	fibulin 5

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69	A7230	X03963	COL4A1	collagen, type IV, alpha 1
70	B4240	AI218211	FXYD6	FXYD domain-containing ion transport regulator 6
71	B3933	AA487977	ETL	ETL protein
72	D8933	AI239735		ESTs
73	E1622	AI985921	CAV1	caveolin 1, caveolae protein, 22kD
74	B9616	AI208877	NYD-SP21	Testes development-related NYD-SP21
75	B7170N	AA604083	PCDH18	protocadherin 18
76	A6237	L05485	SFTPD	surfactant, pulmonary-associated protein D
77	A6665	AI279606	LOC55885	neuronal specific transcription factor DAT1
78	B4320	AA029815	C5ORF4	chromosome 5 open reading frame 4
79	B4291	T04932		Homo sapiens cDNA: FLJ21545 fis, clone COL06195
80	B3695	AI090213		Homo sapiens mRNA; cDNA DKFZp586E2023 (from clone DKFZp586E2023)
81	C9642	AA493650		Homo sapiens cDNA: FLJ23494 fis, clone LNG01885
82	C0250	U20391	FOLR1	folate receptor 1 (adult)
83	A0701	U05291	FMOD	fibromodulin
84	A7247N	AA873533		Homo sapiens mRNA; cDNA DKFZp586N0121 (from clone DKFZp586N0121)
85	C1412	AA446539		ESTs
86	A2418	M96789	GJA4	gap junction protein, alpha 4, 37kD (connexin 37)
87	D3727	AA843148		ESTs
88	B5421	AA648414		ESTs
89	C8253	AA599019	MEOX2	mesenchyme homeo box 2 (growth arrest-specific homeo box)
90	A0878	L13288	VIPR1	vasoactive intestinal peptide receptor 1
91	B5175N	AI350168	KIAA0833	KIAA0833 protein
92	D5870	AA972840		ESTs
93	B8423	R65585		ESTs
94	B8392	AA971017		Homo sapiens cDNA FLJ12028 fis, clone HEMBB1001850
95	A6099	W60630	FLJ21935	hypothetical protein FLJ21935
96	B4694	AA436726	DKFZP564D0764	DKFZP564D0764 protein
97	B8366	AI342255		Homo sapiens cDNA FLJ20767 fis, clone COL06986
98	C8048	X58840	TCF2	transcription factor 2, hepatic; LF-B3; variant hepatic nuclear factor
99	C7458	AI272261	MBP	myelin basic protein
100	C1959	AA192426	KIAA0717	ESTs, Weakly similar to PEBP MOUSE PHOSPHATIDYLETHANOLAMINE-BINDING PROTEIN [M.musculus]
101	A3519	D82348	ATIC	5-aminoimidazole-4-carboxamide ribonucleotide formyltransferase/IMP cyclohydrolase
102	A2049	X67292	IGHM	immunoglobulin heavy constant mu
103	A0694	M91211	AGER	advanced glycosylation end product-specific receptor
104	A4491	L15388	GPRK5	G protein-coupled receptor kinase 5
105	A7286	AI301935	CFFM4	high affinity immunoglobulin epsilon receptor beta subunit
106	B4137	AA148493		Homo sapiens cDNA: FLJ22300 fis, clone HRC04759

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107	B5721N	AI075111		Homo sapiens cDNA FLJ14054 fis, clone HEMBB1000240
108	D5083	AA649967		ESTs
109	B6555N	AA904865	KIAA1912	ESTs
110	A5690	AA927075	KIAA1029	synaptopodin
111	A6436	AB014609	KIAA0709	endocytic receptor (macrophage mannose receptor family)
112	B6700	AI215600	KIAA1300	KIAA1300 protein
113	B0081N	D59339	KIAA1529	Homo sapiens mRNA; cDNA DKFZp434I2420 (from clone DKFZp434I2420)
114	C7592	AA936619	DOK2	docking protein 2, 56kD
115	C1703	W84753		Homo sapiens cDNA FLJ13510 fis, clone PLACE1005146
116	D1811	AA594318	LOC51304	DHHC1 protein
117	A2740	D85777	CDO1	cysteine dioxygenase, type I
118	A1779N	AF025534	LILRB5	leukocyte immunoglobulin-like receptor, subfamily B (with TM and ITIM domains), member 5
119	C7721	AI333309		ESTs
120	A7094	U33749	TITF1	thyroid transcription factor 1
121	B1352	M18786	AMY1A	amylase, alpha 1A; salivary
122	A1871N	AA778308	RNASE1	ribonuclease, RNase A family, 1 (pancreatic)
123	A4798N	Y15724	ATP2A3	ATPase, Ca++ transporting, ubiquitous
124	B5442	AA633352		Homo sapiens cDNA: FLJ23067 fis, clone LNG04993
125	B7814	AA455087		ESTs
126	A1617	X69490	TTN	titin
127	A3536	J03040	SPARC	secreted protein, acidic, cysteine-rich (osteonectin)
128	A1150	M37033	CD53	CD53 antigen
129	B2148	M61900	PTGDS	prostaglandin D synthase gene
130	A8156	AI148659		ESTs
131	C1520	D79303	COL14A1	collagen, type XIV, alpha 1 (undulin)
132	C9503	AA621124		ESTs, Weakly similar to ALU2_HUMAN ALU SUBFAMILY SB SEQUENCE CONTAMINATION WARNING ENTRY [H.sapiens]
133	D3086	AA806358		ESTs
134	B4661	AA425371	PTPRD	protein tyrosine phosphatase, receptor type, D
135	A0593	X76939	LAMA4	laminin, alpha 4
136	A0184	M59832	LAMA2	laminin, alpha 2 (merosin, congenital muscular dystrophy)
137	B0565	AI090498	PCDH12	protocadherin 12
138	B7930	N21096		ESTs
139	B4396	W58589		ESTs
140	C0505	AA926639	FLJ11110	hypothetical protein FLJ11110
141	C0219	AA235013	AKAP2	A kinase (PRKA) anchor protein 2
142	A1450	M33906	HLA-DQA1	major histocompatibility complex, class II, DQ alpha 1
143	B1689	AA664472		Homo sapiens mRNA full length insert cDNA clone EUROIMAGE 1913076
144	C9556	N30188		ESTs
145	C7651	AA142875		ESTs

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146	D9990	Z25109	ZP3A	zona pellucida glycoprotein 3A (sperm receptor)
147	A1365	D10653	TM4SF2	transmembrane 4 superfamily member 2
148	A1147	M14354	F13A1	coagulation factor XIII, A1 polypeptide
149	A9462	AA055019		ESTs
150	A6567	C05229	PDK4	pyruvate dehydrogenase kinase, isoenzyme 4
151	A0774N	M27717	CPA3	carboxypeptidase A3 (mast cell)
152	B6631	AA968840		Homo sapiens HSPC285 mRNA, partial cds
153	A9546N	AI076929		ESTs, Weakly similar to Homolog of rat Zymogen granule membrane protein [H.sapiens]
154	C5014	AI185804	FN1	fibronectin 1
155	D4936	AI084457	NPR3	natriuretic peptide receptor C/guanylate cyclase C (atrionatriuretic peptide receptor C)
156	D1758	AA368303	TIMP3	tissue inhibitor of metalloproteinase 3 (Sorsby fundus dystrophy, pseudoinflammatory)
157	E3918	AF055460	STC2	stanniocalcin 2
158	B9722	AA029906		ESTs
159	B7441	AA994299		Homo sapiens cDNA: FLJ20898 fis, clone ADKA03584
160	A4014	D28769	PBX2	pre-B-cell leukemia transcription factor 2
161	B9242	R59292	MS4A8B	Membrane-spanning 4-domains, subfamily A, member 8B
162	A4872	U19568	SSCA1	squamous cell carcinoma antigen
163	A0100	J04513	FGF2	fibroblast growth factor 2 (basic)
164	B4665N	AA045171		ESTs
165	B9172	AI221059	DKFZP566K1924	DKFZP566K1924 protein
166	B9957	H39098	KIAA0843	KIAA0843 protein
167	A5176	U37791	MMP19	matrix metalloproteinase 19
168	D5160	AI336306		ESTs
169	A0898	Z22641	CHN1	chimerin (chimaerin) 1
170	A5370	R37540		ESTs
171	A9317	AA429693		ESTs
172	B6831	X72012	ENG	endoglin (Osler-Rendu-Weber syndrome 1)
173	B3699	AA864739		Homo sapiens cDNA: FLJ21841 fis, clone HEP01831
174	B7996N	W73609		ESTs
175	D1274	AI147089		ESTs
176	C4665	AF009314		Homo sapiens clone TUA8 Cri-du-chat region mRNA
177	A4026	D50312	KCNJ8	potassium inwardly-rectifying channel, subfamily J, member 8
178	A0764	L10320	FBP1	fructose,6-bisphosphatase 1
179	A2188	J02770	IF	I factor (complement)
180	A2510	X04481	C2	complement component 2
181	A6248	M15178	HLA-DRB1	major histocompatibility complex, class II, DR beta 1
182	A1761	K01171	HLA-DRA	major histocompatibility complex, class II, DR alpha
183	A7689	X00457		Human mRNA for SB classII histocompatibility antigen alpha-chain
184	A8152	AA485172	HLA-DNA	major histocompatibility complex, class II, DN alpha

185	B7304N	AA777308		Homo sapiens cDNA FLJ13942 fis, clone Y79AA1000962, weakly similar to MYOSIN HEAVY CHAIN, NON-MUSCLE
186	D0766	AA424762		ESTs
187	C4971	U20971	NNMT	nicotinamide N-methyltransferase
188	B4321	AA256196	RBM8B	RNA binding motif protein 8B
189	B3746	AA976403		Homo sapiens pancreas tumor-related protein (FKSG12) mRNA, complete cds
190	A9373	M34570	COL6A2	collagen, type VI, alpha 2
191	A1810N	X72755	MIG	monokine induced by gamma interferon
192	C0371	AA411749		ESTs
193	A3733	X04665	THBS1	thrombospondin 1
194	C1466	H03229	GAB1	GRB2-associated binding protein 1
195	A2066	M28443	AMY2A	amylase, alpha 2A; pancreatic
196	C6547	AA774546	NXF3	nuclear RNA export factor 3
197	A0401	X00637	HP	haptoglobin
198	B9211	AI075316	FLJ14033	hypothetical protein FLJ14033 similar to hypoxia inducible factor 3, alpha subunit
199	A7978	J04813	CYP3A5	cytochrome P450, subfamily IIIA (niphedipine oxidase), polypeptide 5
200	B6827N	AA127856	MPDZ	multiple PDZ domain protein
201	C4268	AA885514		ESTs, Weakly similar to CAYP_HUMAN CALCYPHOSINE [H.sapiens]
202	A2487	D10923	HM74	putative chemokine receptor; GTP-binding protein
203	C7059	AA455044		ESTs, Weakly similar to AF257182 1 G-protein-coupled receptor 48 [H.sapiens]
204	A3250	M14144	VIM	vimentin
205	A5556	AA310364	TIMP2	tissue inhibitor of metalloproteinase 2
206	A6458	H71292	SLC21A9	solute carrier family 21 (organic anion transporter), member 9
207	B3759	AI366242		ESTs
208	B9826	AA621350	SLIT2	slit (Drosophila) homolog 2
209	E0336	AI097529	EPAS1	endothelial PAS domain protein 1
210	A6143	AF035315		Homo sapiens clone 23664 and 23905 mRNA sequence
211	B7171	H75419		Duodenal cytochrome b
212	C7813	AI201273		ESTs
213	C9730	AA030027		ESTs
214	D8827	AA484891		ESTs
215	A1572	U76421	ADARB1	adenosine deaminase, RNA-specific, B1 (homolog of rat RED1)
216	A1516	U24488	TNXA	tenascin XA
217	B4852N	X02530	SCYB10	small inducible cytokine subfamily B (Cys-X-Cys), member 10
218	A0791	L13923	FBN1	fibrillin 1 (Marfan syndrome)
219	B8265	AA156792	HEYL	hairy/enhancer-of-split related with YRPW motif-like
220	A1064	M33492	TPSB1	tryptase beta 1
221	A1708	X85337	MYLK	myosin, light polypeptide kinase
222	A4453	AF027299	EPB41L2	erythrocyte membrane protein band 4.1-like 2

223	B8354	AA279159	WASPIP	Wiskott-Aldrich syndrome protein interacting protein
224	C9565	AA252389	LHFP	lipoma HMGIC fusion partner
225	A3560	L06797	CXCR4	chemokine (C-X-C motif), receptor 4 (fusin)
226	A2135	U29091	SELENBP1	selenium binding protein 1
227	A0578	X68277	DUSP1	dual specificity phosphatase 1
228	A0884	U15085	HLA-DMB	major histocompatibility complex, class II, DM beta
229	B1475	AA918725	ARRB1	arrestin, beta 1
230	B4085	T34883	AQP1	aquaporin 1 (channel-forming integral protein, 28kD)
231	C4095	K01505		DC classII histocompatibility antigen alpha-chain
232	B8722	AB007923	KIAA0477	KIAA0477 gene product
233	B9564	H85019	KPNB1	Karyopherin (importin) beta 1
234	A1816N	M31158	PRKAR2B	protein kinase, cAMP-dependent, regulatory, type II, beta
235	B8257	AA426140		Homo sapiens cDNA FLJ11022 fis, clone PLACE1003771
236	A9393N	W67577	CD74	CD74 antigen (invariant polypeptide of major histocompatibility complex, class II antigen-associated)
237	C6900	AA707766		ESTs
238	B9368	AI342469		ESTs
239	B3966	AI038938		ESTs
240	B1004	N87886	MMP2	matrix metalloproteinase 2 (gelatinase A, 72kD gelatinase, 72kD type IV collagenase)
241	A1807N	L76465	HPGD	hydroxyprostaglandin dehydrogenase 15-(NAD)
242	C3775	AW243357		Homo sapiens clone 24775 mRNA sequence
243	A1951	L08895	MEF2C	MADS box transcription enhancer factor 2, polypeptide C (myocyte enhancer factor 2C)
244	A7679	U38894	ROR1	receptor tyrosine kinase-like orphan receptor 1
245	B9803	C02532	COL21A1	Collagen, type XXI, alpha 1
246	D1219	AA453640		ESTs, Weakly similar to KCC1_HUMAN CALCIUM/CALMODULIN-DEPENDENT PROTEIN KINASE TYPE I [H.sapiens]
247	A3061	M83202	LTF	lactotransferrin
248	A0875	L13740	NR4A1	nuclear receptor subfamily 4, group A, member 1
249	A4794	AF064492	LDB2	LIM domain binding 2
250	A7232N	AA669034		Homo sapiens cDNA: FLJ23125 fis, clone LNG08217
251	C3653	AL133415	DNMT2	DNA (cytosine-5-)-methyltransferase 2
252	C8039	Z22970	CD163	CD163 antigen
253	C8158	K03431	HPR	haptoglobin-related protein
254	B9924	W52782	LOC58514	HUEL (C4orf1)-interacting protein
255	A1406	L07555	CD69	CD69 antigen (p60, early T-cell activation antigen)
256	A3488	U39050	DAB2	disabled (Drosophila) homolog 2 (mitogen-responsive phosphoprotein)
257	A1011	M75106	CPB2	carboxypeptidase B2 (plasma)
258	A2427	U69546	CUGBP2	CUG triplet repeat, RNA-binding protein 2
259	B0337	R37044	MAPRE2	microtubule-associated protein, RP/EB family, member 2
260	A7942	AA578712		ESTs
261	C0629	H16793	C8ORF4	chromosome 8 open reading frame 4

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262	C7057	H22566	DACH	Dachshund homolog (Drosophila)
263	D5981	AA974905	FSCN3	fascin (Strongylocentrotus purpuratus) homolog 3 (actin-bundling protein, testicular)
264	C5002	AC002076	GNG11	guanine nucleotide binding protein 11
265	A8488	N75156		Homo sapiens cDNA FLJ11570 fis, clone HEMBA1003309
266	B9013	AA904456		ESTs
267	B9925	AA993564		Homo sapiens mRNA; cDNA DKFZp564E153 (from clone DKFZp564E153)
268	C4743	AA699559	NYD-SP15	Protein kinase NYD-SP15
269	A3015	J04080	C1S	complement component 1, s subcomponent
270	B6414N	AA429149	C11ORF9	chromosome 11open reading frame 9
271	E0523	AA478501	AHNAK	AHNAK nucleoprotein (desmoyokin)
272	A1414	L25286	COL15A1	collagen, type XV, alpha 1
273	C3724	NP_055269	PA26	p53 regulated PA26 nuclear protein
274	B0267	R78436	GATA2	GATA-binding protein 2
275	A3189	M16801	NR3C2	nuclear receptor subfamily 3, group C, member 2
276	B8656	AA398561	FLJ20371	hypothetical protein FLJ20371
277	C8205	AI276150	TUCAN	Tumor up-regulated CARD-containing antagonist of caspase nine
278	A9285	AI027810	KIAA1102	KIAA1102 protein
279	C8636	AA478752	DKK3	Dickkopf homolog 3 (Xenopus laevis)
280	A3178	M29696	IL7R	interleukin 7 receptor
281	C4735	AA258282	KIAA1474	KIAA1474 protein
282	A1137	L20688	ARHGDIB	Rho GDP dissociation inhibitor (GDI) beta
283	A4414	X97187	ABCA3	ATP-binding cassette, sub-family A (ABC1), member 3
284	A2404	M15395	ITGB2	integrin, beta 2 (antigen CD18 (p95), lymphocyte function-associated antigen 1; macrophage antigen 1 (mac) beta subunit)
285	A8898	AI022075	FLJ13732	hypothetical protein FLJ13732 similar to tensin
286	B3924	AI079876	HSPB7	heat shock 27kD protein family, member 7 (cardiovascular)
287	B5776N	U51712		ESTs
288	B9533	W44970	SCA7	spinocerebellar ataxia 7 (olivopontocerebellar atrophy with retinal degeneration)
289	B0830N	AA452493	ID4	inhibitor of DNA binding 4, dominant negative helix-loop-helix protein
290	A9067N	AI268375	DDB1	damage-specific DNA binding protein 1 (127kD)
291	C6721	AA761358	753P9	Chromosome X open reading frame 9
292	B4440	AA418784	LOC64116	up-regulated by BCG-CWS
293	A2644	X04299	ADH3	alcohol dehydrogenase 3 (class I), gamma polypeptide
294	A2972	X72475	IGKC	immunoglobulin kappa constant
295	A1023	X05610	COL4A2	collagen, type IV, alpha 2
296	C6386	W05570	DKFZP586B0621	DKFZP586B0621 protein
297	D8491	X97324	ADFP	adipose differentiation-related protein
298	A1275	AF020543	PPT2	palmitoyl-protein thioesterase 2
299	A6750	U09608	NKG7	natural killer cell group 7 sequence

300	A3822	AB001928	CTSL2	cathepsin L2
301	C8282	R84710	ASAHL	N-acylsphingosine amidohydrolase (acid ceramidase)-like
302	B9777	AA903451	SRCL	Collectin sub-family member 12
303	A0090	D50683	TGFBR2	transforming growth factor, beta receptor II (70-80kD)
304	B9201	AI083491	WIF	Wnt inhibitory factor
305	B1531	AA775224	NPR1	natriuretic peptide receptor A/guanylate cyclase A (atrionatriuretic peptide receptor A)
306	A7760N	M62324	MRF	modulator recognition factor I
307	B9970	H00903	KIAA0640	Homo sapiens mRNA; cDNA DKFZp586E0724 (from clone DKFZp586E0724)
308	A4238	AI089249	HK3	hexokinase 3 (white cell)
309	C3772	AW237266	ASAH	N-acylsphingosine amidohydrolase (acid ceramidase)
310	A4709	U62015	CYR61	cysteine-rich, angiogenic inducer, 61
311	B4288	AI078144	HNOEL-iso	HNOEL-iso protein
312	A6266	AA830322	LMO2	LIM domain only 2 (rhombotin-like 1)
313	A7233	AA742701	LCP1	lymphocyte cytosolic protein 1 (L-plastin)
314	B8141	AA431105		Homo sapiens cDNA: FLJ21310 fis, clone COL02160
315	A3200N	AA419374	COL5A1	collagen, type V, alpha 1
316	C0922	AA136856		ESTs
317	C0787	AA448082		ESTs
318	A4660	M20681	SLC2A3	solute carrier family 2 (facilitated glucose transporter), member 3
319	A5487	AA256347	KIAA1075	KIAA1075 protein
320	A0597	X79683	LAMB2	laminin, beta 2 (laminin S)
321	A3790	X76104	DAPK1	death-associated protein kinase 1
322	A1496	U03688	CYP1B1	cytochrome P450, subfamily I (dioxin-inducible), polypeptide 1 (glaucoma 3, primary infantile)
323	C9716	C17007		ESTs, Highly similar to C1QC_HUMAN COMPLEMENT C1Q SUBCOMPONENT, C CHAIN PRECURSO [H.sapiens]
324	D8527	J03037	CA2	carbonic anhydrase II
325	B2696	AA847136	CSF2RB	Colony stimulating factor 2 receptor, beta, low-affinity (granulocyte-macrophage)
326	D8609	AI052435		ESTs, Weakly similar to neuronal-STOP protein [M.musculus]
327	E0896	AI141649	NID	nidogen (enactin)
328	D7108	AI005420		ESTs
329	A0055N	AF058925	JAK2	Janus kinase 2 (a protein tyrosine kinase)
330	A3613	U20157	PLA2G7	phospholipase A2, group VII (platelet-activating factor acetylhydrolase, plasma)
331	A1879	AF016004	GPM6B	glycoprotein M6B
332	A0711	AF068836	PSCDBP	pleckstrin homology, Sec7 and coiled/coil domains, binding protein
333	B9198	AA609519	MSRA	methionine sulfoxide reductase A
334	A9346N	AA317645	PP2135	PP2135 protein
335	B7497	AA687507		ESTs

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336	B5284	AA452079		Human DNA sequence from clone RP11-524D16 on chromosome X. Contains ESTs, STSs and GSSs. Contains the 3' part of the SRPX gene for a sushi-repeat containing protein and a novel gene for two protein isoforms similar to mouse granuphilin a und b
337	A2471	J03578	ANXA6	annexin A6
338	C4068	AF005668	PFC	properdin P factor, complement
339	A0968	M74718	TCF4	transcription factor 4
340	B8090	AA152211	KIAA1538	KIAA1538 protein
341	A2257N	AA625532	DDR2	discoidin domain receptor family, member 2
342	A1780N	AA449181	ENPP2	ectonucleotide pyrophosphatase/phosphodiesterase 2 (autotaxin)
343	A1859N	AA418167	GATA3	GATA-binding protein 3
344	C3778	BF060779	MSTP032	MSTP032 protein
345	A0654	M15800	MAL	mal, T-cell differentiation protein
346	B4400	AI299106	KIAA1500	KIAA1500 protein
347	B5172N	AI288487	CLIC2	chloride intracellular channel 2
348	A0745	L19871	ATF3	activating transcription factor 3
349	A7672	U20982	IGFBP4	insulin-like growth factor-binding protein 4
350	B1056N	AA757029	DF	D component of complement (adipsin)
351	A1397N	M60484	PPP2CB	protein phosphatase 2 (formerly 2A), catalytic subunit, beta isoform
352	C8146	X53331	MGP	matrix Gla protein
353	A0582	X69819	ICAM3	intercellular adhesion molecule 3
354	A2074	K01396	SERPINA1	serine (or cysteine) proteinase inhibitor, clade A (alpha antiproteinase, antitrypsin), member 1
355	A1092	M57230	IL6ST	interleukin 6 signal transducer (gp130, oncostatin M receptor)
356	A4819	D17408	CNN1	calponin 1, basic, smooth muscle
357	A6251	M25460	IFNB1	interferon, beta 1, fibroblast
358	C4126	U55766	HRB2	HIV rev binding protein 2
359	B8113	AA263000	RNASE6	ribonuclease, RNase A family, k6
360	B0297	AA775440	KIAA0909	KIAA0909 protein
361	B7624	AA434557	LNK	lymphocyte adaptor protein
362	B9647	AA688025		ESTs
363	B4246	AA479071		Homo sapiens clone 24877 mRNA sequence
364	B5399	N36581	D2S448	Melanoma associated gene
365	B7723	AI140597	LIFR	leukemia inhibitory factor receptor
366	A6595N	AA775497	KIAA1095	Homo sapiens mRNA; cDNA DKFZp564J0923 (from clone DKFZp564J0923)
367	B7465	AI197941		Homo sapiens mRNA; cDNA DKFZp761K2024 (from clone DKFZp761K2024)
368	C8947	AA805687		ESTs
369	C8186	AA059489	RGC32	RGC32 protein
370	C1622	AA807551		ESTs
371	C1422	AA095034	GK001	GK001 protein
372	C4105	AA494120	ENPP4	ectonucleotide pyrophosphatase/phosphodiesterase 4

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				(putative function)
373	C9836	AA157832	KIAA4844	Homo sapiens cDNA: FLJ22841 fis, clone KAIA4844
374	D9444	AI367157		ESTs
375	D9939	AI079987		ESTs
376	A4385N	X59770	IL1R2	interleukin 1 receptor, type II
377	B7869N	R42449	FLJ10357	hypothetical protein FLJ10357
378	B9611	AA427796	KIAA1754	ESTs
379	B5396	AA446322	FLJ11240	hypothetical protein FLJ11240
380	D0735	AA740582	ARL5	ADP-ribosylation factor-like 5
381	A1032	M87790	IGL@	immunoglobulin lambda locus
382	A2530	J02611	APOD	apolipoprotein D
383	A4655N	L77864	APBB1	amyloid beta (A4) precursor protein-binding, family B, member 1 (Fe65)
384	C0475	U57961	13CDNA73	putative gene product
385	A9282	AA889218	OGN	osteoglycin (osteoinductive factor, mimecan)
386	B1451N	AI057161		ESTs
387	C7773	AI300074		ESTs, Weakly similar to S43506 hypothetical protein - rat [R.norvegicus]
388	B3063	T91708	MD	MD, RP105-associated
389	A3903	AF026692	SFRP4	secreted frizzled-related protein 4
390	B8377	N50822		ESTs
391	A5720	AI218225	SPON1	spondin 1, (f-spondin) extracellular matrix protein
392	B7274	AA777360	KIAA1002	ESTs
393	A0765	M77477	ALDH3	aldehyde dehydrogenase 3
394	A3563	L10333	RTN1	reticulon 1
395	B6062	AA773223	SLC16A3	solute carrier family 16 (monocarboxylic acid transporters), member 3
396	C8044	AA987624	EGR3	early growth response 3
397	B8707	AA173755	ROBO1	roundabout (axon guidance receptor, Drosophila) homolog 1
398	C7370	AA961425	EOMES	Eomesodermin homolog (Xenopus laevis)
399	D4501	AA521117		ESTs
400	A1750	D31716	BTEB1	basic transcription element binding protein 1
401	A1522	U28369	SEMA3B	sema domain, immunoglobulin domain (Ig), short basic domain, secreted, (semaphorin) 3B
402	A8482	R79064		ESTs, Weakly similar to putative type III alcohol dehydrogenase [D.melanogaster]
403	B9053	AA446948	KIAA0941	KIAA0941 protein
404	B4643	AI332375	FSTL3	follistatin-like 3 (secreted glycoprotein)
405	C0825	D61466		ESTs
406	C3648	W79423		Homo sapiens mRNA; cDNA DKFZp586P1622 (from clone DKFZp586P1622)
407	D4020	AA858162		Homo sapiens cDNA FLJ13005 fis, clone NT2RP3000441, weakly similar to Homo sapiens squamous cell carcinoma antigen recognized by T cell (SART-2) mRNA
408	E1621	AL117515	PLCE2	phospholipase C, epsilon 2
409	A5442	AI290876	KLF4	Kruppel-like factor 4 (gut)

410	A9482	AI160184	LOC51673	brain specific protein
411	A3867	AF013249	LAIR1	leukocyte-associated Ig-like receptor 1
412	A1510	U16306	CSPG2	chondroitin sulfate proteoglycan 2 (versican)
413	B9132	AA455877		Homo sapiens cDNA FLJ11177 fis, clone PLACE1007402
414	A2291	AF003341	ALDH1	aldehyde dehydrogenase 1, soluble
415	A1010	X83378	CLCN6	chloride channel 6
416	B8379	D25869	DKFZP434I1735	DKFZP434I1735 protein
417	B6622	AA369905		ESTs
418	C8388	N92299	FLJ21939	hypothetical protein FLJ21939 similar to 5-azacytidine induced gene 2
419	C4116	AA242923	DXS9928E	DNA segment on chromosome X (unique) 9928 expressed sequence
420	B8203	D81610	FLJ11109	hypothetical protein FLJ11109
421	A1431	L43821	HEF1	enhancer of filamentation 1 (cas-like docking; Crk-associated substrate related)
422	B5949	AA678263	BIN2	bridging integrator 2
423	C7886	AI270402	INHBA	inhibin, beta A (activin A, activin AB alpha polypeptide)
424	A1405	L01042	TMF1	TATA element modulatory factor 1
425	B3940	W45244	C3	complement component 3
426	A1387	D86479	AEBP1	AE-binding protein 1
427	A1748	U29089	PRELP	proline arginine-rich end leucine-rich repeat protein
428	A3054	U01839	FY	Duffy blood group
429	A2039N	AA843756	ID2	inhibitor of DNA binding 2, dominant negative helix-loop-helix protein
430	B6319	AA328385	ICSBP1	interferon consensus sequence binding protein 1
431	B4364	AI305201	VRL	vanilloid receptor-like protein 1
432	B4638	AI122867		Homo sapiens cDNA FLJ12666 fis, clone NT2RM4002256
433	D9799	AI074177	C1QA	complement component 1, q subcomponent, alpha polypeptide
434	A2523	D21238	GLRX	glutaredoxin (thioltransferase)
435	A5449	U90654	LMO7	LIM domain only 7
436	A3409	L77564	STK22B	serine/threonine kinase 22B (spermiogenesis associated)
437	A0174	M37435	CSF1	colony stimulating factor 1 (macrophage)
438	B2439	U04735	STCH	stress 70 protein chaperone, microsome-associated, 60kD
439	B5470	AA876372		ESTs, Weakly similar to ALU1_HUMAN ALU SUBFAMILY J SEQUENCE CONTAMINATION WARNING ENTRY [H.sapiens]
440	B4864	X16665	HOXB2	homeo box B2
441	B5800	AA233243	BM046	uncharacterized bone marrow protein BM046
442	C4170	AB007884	ARHGEF9	Cdc42 guanine exchange factor (GEF) 9
443	A5504N	AF052178		Homo sapiens cDNA: FLJ21897 fis, clone HEP03447, highly similar to AF052178 Homo sapiens clone 24523 mRNA sequence
444	B4574	AI042204	FLJ12895	hypothetical protein FLJ12895

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445	B6998	AA401227	SEC31B-1	Secretory pathway component Sec31B-1
446	B9299	N53090		Homo sapiens mRNA; cDNA DKFZp434I0835 (from clone DKFZp434I0835)
447	A3538	J03464	COL1A2	collagen, type I, alpha 2
448	A8508N	AA977227	NET-6	tetraspan NET-6 protein
449	A1887N	W76477	JUN	v-jun avian sarcoma virus 17 oncogene homolog
450	B5459	AA666119		ESTs, Highly similar to GBP1_HUMAN INTERFERON-INDUCED GUANYLATE-BINDING PROTEIN 1 [H.sapiens]
451	B4646	AI245038	GLS	glutaminase
452	C3799	BE873804		Homo sapiens mRNA; cDNA DKFZp564F053 (from clone DKFZp564F053)
453	C8119	D87258	PRSS11	protease, serine, 11 (IGF binding)
454	D8494	D16294	ACAA2	acetyl-Coenzyme A acyltransferase 2 (mitochondrial 3-oxoacyl-Coenzyme A thiolase)
455	E1456	AB040951	FLJ20004	hypothetical protein FLJ20004
456	B2119	M33552	LSP1	lymphocyte-specific protein 1
457	B0979	AI361053		ESTs
458	A4702	U53445	DOC1	downregulated in ovarian cancer 1
459	D0737	AA885279		ESTs
460	A0753	L10918	CCR1	chemokine (C-C motif) receptor 1
461	A3977	AF069736	PAF65B	PCAF associated factor 65 beta
462	A2839	M36284	GYPC	glycophorin C (Gerbich blood group)
463	A2019N	AA442410	EMP1	epithelial membrane protein 1
464	A3203	M64925	MPP1	membrane protein, palmitoylated 1 (55kD)
465	A0539	U23946	RBM5	RNA binding motif protein 5
466	A5899	D61837	KIAA1109	KIAA1109 protein
467	A3119	J04621	SDC2	syndecan 2 (heparan sulfate proteoglycan 1, cell surface-associated, fibroglycan)
468	A3745	X16155	NR2F1	nuclear receptor subfamily 2, group F, member 1
469	A7016	U82108	SLC9A3R2	solute carrier family 9 (sodium/hydrogen exchanger), isoform 3 regulatory factor 2
470	B2609	N42862	KIAA1434	hypothetical protein FLJ11085
471	B1966	AA933908	ROCK1	Rho-associated, coiled-coil containing protein kinase 1
472	A2214N	L37080	FMO5	flavin containing monooxygenase 5
473	D4128	W37848	ARTS	type 1 tumor necrosis factor receptor shedding aminopeptidase regulator
474	A7678	U32331	RIG	regulated in glioma
475	B5489	AI278652	AP1S2	adaptor-related protein complex 1, sigma 2 subunit
476	A0563	X58288	PTPRM	protein tyrosine phosphatase, receptor type, M
477	A4641	J02854	MYRL2	myosin regulatory light chain 2, smooth muscle isoform
478	B6764	AA313118	DUSP10	dual specificity phosphatase 10
479	A6780	M63262	ALOX5AP	arachidonate 5-lipoxygenase-activating protein
480	A3161N	M92843	ZFP36	zinc finger protein homologous to Zfp-36 in mouse
481	B5367	AA151153	DPT	dermatopontin
482	A6156	AA587167	ARHE	ras homolog gene family, member E

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483	A0127	L24158	ITGA9	integrin, alpha 9
484	B1524	AI126293		ESTs
485	A6781	M69199	G0S2	putative lymphocyte G0/G1 switch gene
486	B8775	AA588212	FLJ10128	uveal autoantigen with coiled coil domains and ankyrin repeats
487	A0300	U43142	VEGFC	vascular endothelial growth factor C
488	A6530	AI089584	ADAMTS1	a disintegrin-like and metalloprotease (reprolysin type) with thrombospondin type 1 motif, 1
489	A0971	D83407	ZAKI4	Down syndrome critical region gene 1-like 1
490	D4142	N93781	TAX1BP1	Tax1 (human T-cell leukemia virus type I) binding protein 1
491	A1485N	S69790	WASF3	WAS protein family, member 3
492	B8036	R20340		ESTs
493	C9718	W94051		ESTs
494	E0872	AK025627		Homo sapiens cDNA: FLJ21974 fis, clone HEP05861
495	B0243	R76379	LOC51316	hypothetical protein
496	A1981	U58514	CHI3L2	chitinase 3-like 2
497	A2158	Z11793	SEPP1	selenoprotein P, plasma, 1
498	A0975	M14333	FYN	FYN oncogene related to SRC, FGR, YES
499	B4849	W74368		Homo sapiens cDNA: FLJ23324 fis, clone HEP12482, highly similar to HUMMYOHCB Human nonmuscle myosin heavy chain-B (MYH10) mRNA
500	A7640	AA147751		Homo sapiens cDNA FLJ14146 fis, clone MAMMA1002947
501	C0830	AA012832		ESTs
502	C6974	AA679312	HIBCH	3-hydroxyisobutyryl-Coenzyme A hydrolase
503	E0289	AI224952		ESTs
504	B4750	AA769424	VNN2	vanin 2
505	A3334	M90696	CTSS	cathepsin S
506	B1676	AJ001563	IGHG3	immunoglobulin heavy constant gamma 3 (G3m marker)
507	C7731	AI142828		Homo sapiens adlican mRNA, complete cds
508	C4700	AA099820		ESTs
509	D0533	AA234500	ARHGEF12	Rho guanine exchange factor (GEF) 12
510	A4744	AF020202	UNC13	UNC13 (C. elegans)-like
511	A1154	M62401	CYP27A1	cytochrome P450, subfamily XXVIIA (steroid 27-hydroxylase, cerebrotendinous xanthomatosis), polypeptide 1
512	A2292	X16832	CTSH	cathepsin H
513	A1825	X76775	HLA-DMA	major histocompatibility complex, class II, DM alpha
514	A3841	AF000984	DBY	DEAD/H (Asp-Glu-Ala-Asp/His) box polypeptide, Y chromosome
515	A4645	L13852	UBE1L	ubiquitin-activating enzyme E1-like
516	A9003	W39638	FLJ10856	hypothetical protein FLJ10856
517	A7239	AA523541	GILZ	glucocorticoid-induced leucine zipper
518	A3308N	L23823	ITGB7	integrin beta 7 subunit
519	B8437	Z20328	DKFZp434C0328	hypothetical protein DKFZp434C0328
520	B4481	AA857089	DKFZP566G142	hypothetical protein DKFZp566G1424

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521	B6014N	H09503	KIAA0740	KIAA0740 gene product
522	B6825	AI290349	C5	complement component 5
523	B9233	AA211909		ESTs
524	B5381N	D42047	KIAA0089	KIAA0089 protein
525	B7003N	AF045584	POV1	prostate cancer overexpressed gene 1
526	C8356	AI265858		Human clone 23574 mRNA sequence
527	C4596	AI344470		ESTs
528	C6906	AA346311	RAI3	retinoic acid induced 3
529	C8023	M81141	HLA-DQB1	major histocompatibility complex, class II, DQ beta 1
530	D2661	AA894447		Human BAC clone GS1-99H8
531	B7659	AB007924	KIAA0455	KIAA0455 gene product
532	A6593	AI160213	ANGPTL2	Angiopoietin-like 2
533	B7526	R40594		Homo sapiens cDNA: FLJ22845 fis, clone KAIA5195
534	B7796	N52157		Homo sapiens mRNA; cDNA DKFZp762O1615 (from clone DKFZp762O1615)
535	A8525	W67837	AHSG	alpha-2-HS-glycoprotein
536	E0537	AW276358	DPYSL2	dihydropyrimidinase-like 2
537	A4254	AI140851	COL6A1	collagen, type VI, alpha 1
538	A0941	S59049	RGS1	regulator of G-protein signalling 1
539	A2122	AB003476	AKAP12	A kinase (PRKA) anchor protein (gravin) 12
540	A9501	AA279817	GADD45B	growth arrest and DNA-damage-inducible, beta
541	B8782	U97067	CTNNAL1	catenin (cadherin-associated protein), alpha-like 1
542	B9769	AA156269		Homo sapiens mRNA; cDNA DKFZp434E2321 (from clone DKFZp434E2321); partial cds
543	A1567	U70824	BLu	BLu protein
544	A2444	AF002672	LOH11CR2A	loss of heterozygosity, 11, chromosomal region 2, gene A
545	B9317	N35421		ESTs
546	A5086N	AA402615	SELPLG	selectin P ligand
547	C6059	AA699359		ESTs
548	A0399	M20496	CTSL	cathepsin L
549	A0325	X03663	CSF1R	colony stimulating factor 1 receptor, formerly McDonough feline sarcoma viral (v-fms) oncogene homolog
550	A0131	L34155	LAMA3	laminin, alpha 3 (nicein (150kD), kalinin (165kD), BM600 (150kD), epilegrin)
551	A8879N	AA583491	HCA112	hepatocellular carcinoma-associated antigen 112
552	E0691	AL021917	BTN2A3	butyrophilin, subfamily 2, member A3
553	A1051	M33195	FCER1G	Fc fragment of IgE, high affinity I, receptor for; gamma polypeptide
554	A9090	AI306435	DKFZP586A0522	DKFZP586A0522 protein
555	A1471N	AL021026		Homo sapiens DNA sequence from PAC 127D3 on chromosome 1q23-25. Contains FMO2 and FMO3 genes for Flavin-containing Monooxygenase 2 and Flavin-containing Monooxygenase 3 (Dimethylaniline Monooxygenase (N-Oxide 3, EC1.14.13.8, Dimethylaniline Oxidase 3, FMO

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556	B2937	AA416820	H2AFZ	H2A histone family, member Z
557	A1125	J04127	CYP19	cytochrome P450, subfamily XIX (aromatization of androgens)
558	A6380	T28620	FGB	fibrinogen, B beta polypeptide
559	A4970	AF062075	LPXN	leupaxin
560	C9579	N42267		Homo sapiens cDNA: FLJ22554 fis, clone HSI01092
561	C7036	U59289	CDH13	cadherin 13, H-cadherin (heart)
562	A9308	AA452780	GENX-3414	genethonin 1
563	A2638	U20158	LCP2	lymphocyte cytosolic protein 2 (SH2 domain-containing leukocyte protein of 76kD)
564	C9620	AI092721		Homo sapiens cDNA FLJ11896 fis, clone HEMBA1007319
565	A5868	AA418061	SLC11A3	solute carrier family 11 (proton-coupled divalent metal ion transporters), member 3
566	A5900	AI091372	AXUD1	AXIN1 up-regulated
567	A1453	M37721	PAM	peptidylglycine alpha-amidating monooxygenase
568	A9514	Z39135		Homo sapiens cDNA: FLJ22735 fis, clone HUV00180
569	B9504	AA521163		Homo sapiens cDNA: FLJ21333 fis, clone COL02535
570	B8028	AA701478		Homo sapiens cDNA: FLJ23332 fis, clone HEP12754
571	D0786	AB011115	KIAA0543	KIAA0543 protein
572	B7289N	AA379112	SBBI42	BCM-like membrane protein precursor
573	A4367	AF020043	CSPG6	chondroitin sulfate proteoglycan 6 (bamacan)
574	A3150	M97370	ADORA2A	adenosine A2a receptor
575	A5253	AA261780		ESTs
576	B4938	W56507	KIAA0251	KIAA0251 protein
577	A9295	AI266286		ESTs, Weakly similar to IRX2_HUMAN IROQUOIS-CLASS HOMEODOMAIN PROTEIN IRX-2 [H.sapiens]
578	A6532	AA449335		ESTs
579	A4597	U97519	PODXL	podocalyxin-like
580	B4053	K03191	CYP1A1	cytochrome P450, subfamily I (aromatic compound-inducible), polypeptide 1
581	B5138	AI364974	FCN3	ficolin (collagen/fibrinogen domain-containing) 3 (Hakata antigen)
582	A6427	AA402425		Homo sapiens cDNA: FLJ22343 fis, clone HRC06043
583	A0970	U44403	SLA	Src-like-adapter
584	A4680	U40282	ILK	integrin-linked kinase
585	A5015	U13219	FOXF1	forkhead box F1
586	A4769	AF004562	STXBP1	syntaxin binding protein 1
587	A0056	AF061836	RASSF1	Ras association (RalGDS/AF-6) domain family 1
588	A7051	AA429070	ISLR	immunoglobulin superfamily containing leucine-rich repeat
589	A7795	AA508749	UBL3	ubiquitin-like 3
590	A8561	AA699666		Melanophilin
591	A7764			
592	B9056	AI025137	ARHGEF3	Rho guanine nucleotide exchange factor (GEF) 3

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593	B4277	AA147512	STX7	syntaxin 7
594	B6265	AA902739		ESTs
595	A0925N	Z69028	PPP2R5B	protein phosphatase 2, regulatory subunit B (B56), beta isoform
596	B3833	AI337078		MacGAP protein
597	B5623	AA505359	MYO1E	myosin IE
598	B7105	AA707941		ESTs
599	B5917N	W23481	FLJ20271	hypothetical protein FLJ20271
600	B5291	AA481924	TYROBP	TYRO protein tyrosine kinase binding protein
601	C0211	AA306716	FLJ11937	hypothetical protein FLJ11937
602	A4115	AA290738	GSTM4	glutathione S-transferase M4
603	A9993	AB007903	KIAA0443	KIAA0443 gene product
604	D7150	AA909959	NESH	NESH protein
605	B4090	M34175	AP2B1	adaptor-related protein complex 2, beta 1 subunit
606	B4352N	T46905		Homo sapiens clone 23649 and 23755 unknown mRNA, partial cds
607	A3390	L35240	ENIGMA	enigma (LIM domain protein)
608	B4076	AA293636	GJA1	gap junction protein, alpha 1, 43kD (connexin 43)
609	B1535	AI161137		Homo sapiens cDNA: FLJ22743 fis, clone HUV00901
610	B8678	AA759306	KIAA1249	KIAA1249 protein
611	A1445	M27492	IL1R1	interleukin 1 receptor, type I
612	A6886	W76482		ESTs
613	E0242	AI093526		EST, Weakly similar to Fc gamma receptor I [H.sapiens]
614	A1710	X06985	HMOX1	heme oxygenase (decycling) 1
615	B4278	AI198543		ESTs, Highly similar to KIAA1395 protein [H.sapiens]
616	B4497	W88815	LOC57406	lipase protein
617	B7559	N98940		ESTs
618	B5481	AI274152	LOC51762	RAB-8b protein
619	E0721	Z95331	MLLT2	myeloid/lymphoid or mixed-lineage leukemia (trithorax (Drosophila) homolog); translocated to, 2
620	A7301N	W37605		ESTs
621	C9246	AI348094	KIAA0882	KIAA0882 protein
622	B9394	H59903	DJ1057B20.2	hypothetical protein dJ1057B20.2
623	C6040	H05226		EST
624	E0880	H12644	NFRKB	nuclear factor related to kappa B binding protein
625	A2467	AF035752	CAV2	caveolin 2
626	A6234	M12963	ADH1	alcohol dehydrogenase 1 (class I), alpha polypeptide
627	A2531	V00493	HBA2	hemoglobin, alpha 2
628	C4765	N67091		ESTs
629	A5084	M86511	CD14	CD14 antigen
630	A4545	M22299.	PLS3	plastin 3 (T isoform)
631	A2534	M21119	LYZ	lysozyme (renal amyloidosis)
632	B4633	AA634261	CLIC4	chloride intracellular channel 4
633	B8081	AA528190		ESTs
634	C0533	AA760720	SPAG6	sperm associated antigen 6

635	A0323	X03438	CSF3	colony stimulating factor 3 (granulocyte)
636	A8596	AA632025		ESTs
637	A9093	N80081		ESTs
638	B4285	AA812063		Homo sapiens cDNA FLJ13698 fis, clone PLACE2000176
639	A2363	U03274	BTD	biotinidase
640	A2518	M62402	IGFBP6	insulin-like growth factor binding protein 6
641	B0327	AI038322		ESTs, Moderately similar to KIAA1058 protein [H.sapiens]
642	B4245	AF052101		Homo sapiens clone 23872 mRNA sequence
643	B9433	AA031379		ESTs
644	B9992	AA191449	KIAA1254	KIAA1254 protein
645	C8175	X00129	RBP4	retinol-binding protein 4, interstitial
646	A0890	L11329	DUSP2	dual specificity phosphatase 2
647	B4213	X65460	ATP5A1	ATP synthase, H+ transporting, mitochondrial F1 complex, alpha subunit, isoform 1, cardiac muscle
648	B6035N	AA424407	ZFP106	zinc finger protein 106
649	A6003	AA678103	FKBP5	FK506-binding protein 5
650	A7454	AF007162	CRYAB	crystallin, alpha B
651	B9457	AA340728	NR2F2	nuclear receptor subfamily 2, group F, member 2
652	B6552	AA678830	KIAA1035	KIAA1035 protein
653	A2087N	X16940	ACTG2	actin, gamma 2, smooth muscle, enteric
654	A5785	AA776284	PSMB7	Proteasome (prosome, macropain) subunit, beta type, 7
655	A1891	L13720	GAS6	growth arrest-specific 6
656	A1183	U28833	DSCR1	Down syndrome critical region gene 1
657	A0905	M64722	CLU	clusterin (complement lysis inhibitor, SP-40,40, sulfated glycoprotein 2, testosterone-repressed prostate message 2, apolipoprotein J)
658	A2516	M77016	TMOD	tropomodulin
659	A6626	AA197086		ESTs
660	A9357	AA682274	FLJ20093	hypothetical protein FLJ20093
661	B4077	M81635	EPB72	erythrocyte membrane protein band 7.2 (stomatin)
662	A9451	AF055066	HLA-A	major histocompatibility complex, class I, A
663	A8883	N24759	LOC51170	retinal short-chain dehydrogenase/reductase retSDR2
664	A8209	AA293061		Homo sapiens cDNA: FLJ21559 fis, clone COL06406
665	A9564	AI149131	CDKN1C	cyclin-dependent kinase inhibitor 1C (p57, Kip2)
666	A1490N	AI097058		Homo sapiens cDNA: FLJ23538 fis, clone LNG08010, highly similar to BETA2 Human MEN1 region clone epsilon/beta mRNA
667	B9739	X94770	EMP2	epithelial membrane protein 2
668	A8504	AI367368	FACL5	long-chain fatty acid coenzyme A ligase 5
669	B3883	AA121351	RAI2	retinoic acid induced 2
670	B4335	D59837	KIAA1565	KIAA1565 protein
671	A4360N	U83461	SLC31A2	solute carrier family 31 (copper transporters), member 2
672	B9836	R79561	KIAA1376	KIAA1376 protein
673	B5151	AI189343		Homo sapiens cDNA FLJ13511 fis, clone PLACE1005331, highly similar to Homo sapiens 7h3

				protein mRNA
674	A6320N	AF070616	HPCAL1	hippocalcin-like 1
675	B6752	AA156797		Homo sapiens mRNA; cDNA DKFZp434E109 (from clone DKFZp434E109)
676	C8698	AA903358	CGGBP1	CGG triplet repeat binding protein 1
677	E0789	AI969467		ESTs
678	A7498	AA115280	LOC55901	TMTSP for transmembrane molecule with thrombospondin module
679	E0783	AI146697	MAPK7	mitogen-activated protein kinase 7
680	A6602	W87690		Homo sapiens cDNA: FLJ23173 fis, clone LNG10019
681	A7605	R15801	LOC51299	neuritin
682	A1437N	W37188	H2AFL	H2A histone family, member L
683	B9007	AI203211		ESTs
684	D9915	AI079175		Homo sapiens mRNA; cDNA DKFZp564F053 (from clone DKFZp564F053)
685	B2663	AA953615	ACTC	actin, alpha, cardiac muscle
686	B7193N	AI261663		ESTs
687	A1622N	X75918	NR4A2	nuclear receptor subfamily 4, group A, member 2
688	C6826	L02326		Homo sapiens clone Hu lambda7 lambda-like protein (IGLL2) gene, partial cds
689	A3739	X14420	COL3A1	collagen, type III, alpha 1 (Ehlers-Danlos syndrome type IV, autosomal dominant)
690	A3297	X01410	TRB@	T cell receptor beta locus
691	A7293	N48811	KIAA0786	latrophilin
692	B8295	AI359344	PCAF	P300/CBP-associated factor
693	A2429	M61715	WARS	tryptophanyl-tRNA synthetase
694	A9007	AA037452	KIAA0992	palladin
695	B0176N	W56480	SOS1	son of sevenless (Drosophila) homolog 1
696	C7506	AI025678		Homo sapiens clone 25228 mRNA sequence
697	E0498	AK025773		Homo sapiens cDNA: FLJ22120 fis, clone HEP18874
698	A7291	AA594600	CTL2	CTL2 gene
699	C8442	AA910738	KIAA0579	KIAA0579 protein
700	A4472	AF042081	SH3BGRL	SH3 domain binding glutamic acid-rich protein like
701	A1669	M95787	TAGLN	transgelin
702	A8155	T34177	LOC51255	hypothetical protein
703	E0176	AI090671		Homo sapiens cDNA FLJ12057 fis, clone HEMBB1002068
704	A2452	M33146	CSRP1	cysteine and glycine-rich protein 1
705	A5016	U13220	FOXF2	forkhead box F2
706	A8843	AA235920		ESTs
707	B4092	AB011126	KIAA0554	KIAA0554 protein
708	A8493	AA780301	CTSF	cathepsin F
709	A9051	AB007934	ACF7	actin binding protein; macrophin (microfilament and actin filament cross-linker protein)
710	B9813	AI221110	FLJ10980	hypothetical protein FLJ10980
711	B7487	AA036947		Homo sapiens cDNA FLJ10229 fis, clone HEMBB1000136

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712	B9712	AI002977		ESTs
713	B5430	AA290920		ESTs
714	A2632N	D14665	ADAM9	a disintegrin and metalloproteinase domain 9 (meltrin gamma)
715	A0225N	M93426	PTPRZ1	protein tyrosine phosphatase, receptor-type, Z polypeptide 1
716	A0704N	AA156840	MAP3K8	mitogen-activated protein kinase kinase kinase 8
717	A8969	AA039563	KIAA1415	KIAA1415 protein
718	B7478	AA443202	KIAA1053	KIAA1053 protein
719	A3554	K01160		ESTs
720	B9536	AI333662		ESTs
721	C9685	AI275584		Likely ortholog of rat proline rich synapse associated protein 2
722	C0335	X13839	ACTA2	actin, alpha 2, smooth muscle, aorta
723	C4163	AA912674	VE-JAM	vascular endothelial junction-associated molecule
724	D7516	AI074524		ESTs
725	E1492	R27799	BMP6	bone morphogenetic protein 6
726	A7782	N44246	PRKCH	protein kinase C, eta
727	A5154	M55543	GBP2	guanylate binding protein 2, interferon-inducible
728	C6278	AA641454	SART-2	squamous cell carcinoma antigen recognized by T cell
729	A1693	X94991	ZYX	zyxin
730	A0808	M58285	HEM1	hematopoietic protein 1
731	A1704N	D21254	CDH11	cadherin 11, type 2, OB-cadherin (osteoblast)
732	B4614	AI093734	TAZ	Transcriptional co-activator with PDZ-binding motif (TAZ)
733	B5081N	AA419490		Homo sapiens mRNA full length insert cDNA clone EUROIMAGE 248114
734	A0568	X60957	TIE	tyrosine kinase with immunoglobulin and epidermal growth factor homology domains
735	A8796	AA479330	SLC7A7	solute carrier family 7 (cationic amino acid transporter, y+ system), member 7
736	B9265	AI346969	TRIM14	Tripartite motif-containing 14
737	A9013N	D62275	ITM2B	integral membrane protein 2B
738	B5202N	T78873		Homo sapiens cDNA: FLJ22290 fis, clone HRC04405
739	C8299	AA600814	PTPN9	protein tyrosine phosphatase, non-receptor type 9
740	A2926	X96719	CLECSF2	C-type (calcium dependent, carbohydrate-recognition domain) lectin, superfamily member 2 (activation-induced)
741	A4681	U02020	PBEF	pre-B-cell colony-enhancing factor
742	A1217	X14454	IRF1	interferon regulatory factor 1
743	C4981	X05908	ANXA1	annexin A1
744	B0293	AA037349	LAMR1	laminin receptor 1 (67kD, ribosomal protein SA)
745	A8128	M78933	MY047	MY047 protein
746	C8090	AF052685	PCDHGC3	protocadherin gamma subfamily C, 3
747	C4610	N66498		ESTs
748	B7221N	AA706790		ESTs
749	A6623	R64431	RYBP	RING1 and YY1 binding protein

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750	A8823	N26005	PPP1R5	protein phosphatase 1, regulatory (inhibitor) subunit 5
751	B3694	AA745720		ESTs
752	A5459	AA393478	NFAT5	Nuclear factor of activated T-cells 5, tonicity-responsive
753	A6360	W69716		Homo sapiens mRNA; cDNA DKFZp761P06121 (from clone DKFZp761P06121)
754	A0944	Z24725	MIG2	mitogen inducible 2
755	A5484	AA634825	PINK1	PTEN induced putative kinase 1
756	A2503	S60099	APLP2	amyloid beta (A4) precursor-like protein 2
757	A0205	M69066	MSN	moesin
758	A5850	AA282650	SAC1	Suppressor of actin 1
759	A5423	AA773731		Homo sapiens cDNA: FLJ21028 fis, clone CAE07155
760	A2887	M22865	CYB5	cytochrome b-5
761	A6629	AI366509	HSMNP1	uncharacterized hypothalamus protein HSMNP1
762	A4543N	AB001636	DDX15	DEAD/H (Asp-Glu-Ala-Asp/His) box polypeptide 15
763	B5480	AA044842	AHCP	Autosomal Highly Conserved Protein
764	B4084	AA916826	APP	amyloid beta (A4) precursor protein (protease nexin-II, Alzheimer disease)
765	A0224N	D13380	PTPN12	protein tyrosine phosphatase, non-receptor type 12
766	B4552	AA812671	CDC14B	CDC14 (cell division cycle 14, S. cerevisiae) homolog B
767	B3700	AA443786	SYTL2	Synaptotagmin-like 2
768	B4891	W19216	PKIG	protein kinase (cAMP-dependent, catalytic) inhibitor gamma
769	B5366N	AA291036	KIAA0164	KIAA0164 gene product
770	A8477N	W44716	HSPC055	HSPC055 protein
771	C8058	N62855		ESTs
772	E1374	AK000752	KIAA1181	KIAA1181 protein
773	A2287	U09577	HYAL2	hyaluronoglucosaminidase 2
774	A2118	J04130	SCYA4	small inducible cytokine A4 (homologous to mouse Mipb)
775	A2511	D49547	HSPF1	heat shock 40kD protein 1
776	A6236	L04656	CA8	carbonic anhydrase VIII
777	A1795	J03004	GNAI2	guanine nucleotide binding protein (G protein), alpha inhibiting activity polypeptide 2
778	A4171	AA772230		Homo sapiens cDNA: FLJ23538 fis, clone LNG08010, highly similar to BETA2 Human MEN1 region clone epsilon/beta mRNA
779	A4766	AF001434	EHD1	EH domain containing 1
780	A1999	D00172	ANXA5	annexin A5
781	A6187	AA412555	KIAA1536	KIAA1536 protein
782	A1452	M35198	ITGB6	integrin, beta 6
783	A3288	M12670	TIMP1	tissue inhibitor of metalloproteinase 1 (erythroid potentiating activity, collagenase inhibitor)
784	A4279	AI222322	TOB2	transducer of ERBB2, 2
785	A8063	H98203	KIAA0987	differentially expressed in adenocarcinoma of the lung
786	B0911	W72053		Homo sapiens cDNA: FLJ21904 fis, clone HEP03585

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787	B4831	M31210	EDG1	endothelial differentiation, sphingolipid G-protein-coupled receptor, 1
788	B3748	D88153	HYA22	HYA22 protein
789	A6715	U83463	SDCBP	syndecan binding protein (syntenin)
790	A9327	AA447864	KIAA1055	KIAA1055 protein
791	B1490	AI199405	ZNF266	zinc finger protein 266
792	A9412	AA523727		ESTs
793	A6411	AA303231	LOC64744	hypothetical protein AL133206
794	B1647	AA242740	SCEL	sciellin
795	A1992	Z11697	CD83	CD83 antigen (activated B lymphocytes, immunoglobulin superfamily)
796	A8921	R38569		ESTs
797	B6472	AI288772	DREV1	CGI-81 protein
798	B7213N	D86982	KIAA0229	KIAA0229 protein
799	B7575	W42910	SEC22C	vesicle trafficking protein
800	B9287	AA885480		Human DNA sequence from clone RP5-858B6 on chromosome 1q42.13-43 Contains ESTs, STSs, GSSs and a CpG island. Contains three novel genes
801	B3891	C06051	JAK1	Janus kinase 1 (a protein tyrosine kinase)
802	B4491	AA148566		Homo sapiens cDNA: FLJ22790 fis, clone KAIA2176, highly similar to HUMPMCA Human plasma membrane calcium-pumping ATPase (PMCA4) mRNA
803	C8127	AA478197	MAN2A2	mannosidase, alpha, class 2A, member 2
804	C8456	U90912	KIAA1128	Human clone 23865 mRNA sequence
805	C0570	H12297		Homo sapiens cDNA: FLJ22167 fis, clone HRC00584
806	D1436	AI341482	RNB6	RNB6

Table2   up-regulated genes (≧x5, ≧50% of cases)

NSC Assignment	LMMID	Acc	Symbol	TITLE
807	A1589	NM_006547	KOC1	IGF-II mRNA-binding protein 3
808	A0042	AF029082	SFN	stratifin
809	A1063	M19888	SPRR1B	small proline-rich protein 1B (cornifin)
810	A3243	NM_003318	TTK	TTK protein kinase
811	A0418	NM_002997	SDC1	syndecan 1
812	A2932	M21551	NMB	neuromedin B
813	A3547	J04739	BPI	bactericidal/permeability-increasing protein
814	A2282	D79997	KIAA0175	KIAA0175 gene product
815	A4383	Z97029	RNASEHI	ribonuclease HI, large subunit
816	A1257	AF006259	PIR51	RAD51-interacting protein
817	B4368	AI082560	FLJ20450	hypothetical protein FLJ20450
818	B7725	C20910	CCNB1	cyclin B1
819	A8043	W72411	TP63	tumor protein 63 kDa with strong homology to p53
820	B6769	AA461217	HMMR	hyaluronan-mediated motility receptor (RHAMM)
821	A6695	AF035444	TSSC3	tumor suppressing subtransferable candidate 3

822	C4330	AA234722		ESTs (MGC12536), Moderately similar to CANS_HUMAN CALCIUM-DEPENDENT PROTEASE, SMALL SUBUNIT [H.sapiens]
823	B1406	AA483082	XAGE	XAGE protein
824	A0771N	M69225	BPAG1	bullous pemphigoid antigen 1 (230/240kD)
825	B8870	NM_018685	ANLN	anillin (Drosophila Scraps homolog), actin binding protein
826	B9760	R73030		ESTs, Weakly similar to ALU1_HUMAN ALU SUBFAMILY J SEQUENCE CONTAMINATION WARNING ENTRY [H.sapiens]
827	B5915	T79582		ESTs, Weakly similar to KIAA0479 protein [H.sapiens]
828	A8893N	AA460182	PPP1R16A	Protein phosphatase 1, regulatory (inhibitor) subunit 16A
829	B5301	W44796		ESTs
830	B7439	AI318098		ESTs
831	B8547	AI125938		Homo sapiens X28 region near ALD locus containing dual specificity phosphatase 9 (DUSP9), ribosomal protein L18a (RPL18a), Ca2+/Calmodulin-dependent protein kinase I (CAMKI), creatine transporter (CRTR), CDM protein (CDM), adrenoleukodystrophy protein
832	B8743	AI261284		ESTs
833	B7163	R06794		ESTs
834	B8909	AA552690		Homo sapiens cDNA: FLJ21274 fis, clone COL01781
835	B4688	AA411315	FLJ10604	hypothetical protein FLJ10604
836	B4788N	AA776829		ESTs
837	B6264	T91195		ESTs
838	B4186N	AI189587		ESTs
839	B7771	AA427818	HMGIC	high-mobility group (nonhistone chromosomal) protein isoform I-C
840	C1730	AA847662	GNAS	GNAS,complex locus
841	C4539	AB101204	URLC2	up-regulated in lung cancer 2
842	C8214	AA047315	KIAA0887	KIAA0887 protein
843	C6987	AI123912		Homo sapiens cDNA FLJ10041 fis, clone HEMBA1001022
844	C7403	AI359511		ESTs, Moderately similar to similar to smoothelin [H.sapiens]
845	D0773	AA425730		ESTs, Weakly similar to ALU1_HUMAN ALU SUBFAMILY J SEQUENCE CONTAMINATION WARNING ENTRY [H.sapiens]
846	D0006	AI015982		ESTs, Weakly similar to AF155135 1 novel retinal pigment epithelial cell protein [H.sapiens]
847	C0488	AA781195	PRAME	preferentially expressed antigen in melanoma
848	C6902	AA479648		ESTs
849	C7601	NM005268	GJB5	gap junction protein, beta 5 (connexin 31.1)
850	D1135	AA447744		ESTs
851	C5005	AA625553		ESTs
852	C6143	AA678356		ESTs
853	C6664	AI142832		ESTs
854	C1442	AA807192		ESTs, Highly similar to unnamed protein product

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855	C6719	AB105191	LNIR	Ig superfamily receptor LNIR
856	D0010	AA358397		EST
857	C7630	NM_032862	TIGD5	tigger transposable element derived5
858	C6447	AA079262		Homo sapiens mRNA; cDNA DKFZp566C0546 (from clone DKFZp566C0546)
859	C7444	AB101205	URLC3	up-regulated in lung cancer 3
860	D9683	AI057353		ESTs
861	D9437	W67209	KIAA0251	ESTs, Moderately similar to p53 regulated PA26-T2 nuclear protein [H.sapiens]
862	D3230	AA780074		ESTs
863	E0904	AI394016	FLJ20116	hypothetical protein FLJ20116
864	D5363	AA954567		ESTs
865	A2691N	X63629	CDH3	cadherin 3, type 1, P-cadherin (placental)
866	A4693	U42408	LAD1	ladinin 1
867	C3760	U75285	BIRC5	baculoviral IAP repeat-containing 5 (survivin)
868	A2603N	Z46629	SOX9	SRY (sex determining region Y)-box 9 (campomelic dysplasia, autosomal sex-reversal)
869	A3529N	D89016	NBR	putative neuroblastoma protein
870	C8633	AI161159		Homo sapiens mRNA; cDNA DKFZp566N034 (from clone DKFZp566N034); partial cds
871	D5753	AA971042	KIAA1929	ESTs
872	A9044	AA775667	LOC51659	HSPC037 protein
873	C8799	AA219172		ESTs
874	B7197N	R07614		ESTs
875	B4414	AA765913	DECR2	2,4-dienoyl CoA reductase 2, peroxisomal
876	C9030	AI086906		ESTs, Highly similar to LRP1_HUMAN LOW-DENSITY LIPOPROTEIN RECEPTOR-RELATED PROTEIN 1 PRECURSOR [H.sapiens]/Highly similar to S02392 alpha-2-macroglobulin receptor precursor [H.sapiens]
877	A2709N	D85376		ESTs
878	D9621	AI349804		ESTs, Weakly similar to IQGA_HUMAN RAS GTPASE-ACTIVATING-LIKE PROTEIN IQGAP1 [H.sapiens]
879	C7956	AA172001	FLJ10901	hypothetical protein FLJ10901
880	A2759N	X16260	ITIH1	inter-alpha (globulin) inhibitor, H1 polypeptide
881	C3813	NM_017650	FLJ20068	hypothetical protein FLJ20068
882	D4920	AI247180	GUCY1B2	guanylate cyclase 1, soluble, beta 2
883	A7675	U26726	HSD11B2	hydroxysteroid (11-beta) dehydrogenase 2
884	B8059	AA625338	RAD51	RAD51 (S. cerevisiae) homolog (E coli RecA homolog)
885	C7616	AB101211	BAG5	BCL2-associated athanogene 5
886	D2176	AI138545		ESTs
887	A2801	X68314	GPX2	glutathione peroxidase 2 (gastrointestinal)
888	A3937	AF044309	STX11	syntaxin 11
889	A5657	AA005074	HSPC150	HSPC150 protein similar to ubiquitin-conjugating enzyme

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890	B4064	X83573	ARSE	arylsulfatase E (chondrodysplasia punctata 1)
891	C6559	AA011131		ESTs
892	E0975	AI816535		Homo sapiens cDNA FLJ12827 fis, clone NT2RP2002939, weakly similar to ZINC FINGER PROTEIN 136
893	A3059	NM_016195	MPHOSPH1	M-phase phosphoprotein 1
894	A0480	X54941	CKS1	CDC28 protein kinase 1
895	C6675	AB105189	FAM3D	family with sequence similarity 3, member D
896	C7537	AA121546	PRO0971	hypothetical protein PRO0971
897	C4166	M64247	TNNI3	troponin I, cardiac
898	C9393	AB101209	URLC7	up-regulated in lung cancer 7
899	D0182	AA639491	KRTHB6	keratin, hair, basic, 6 (monilethrix)
900	B5912	W04554	FLJ20615	Hypoxia-inducible factor 1, alpha subunit inhibitor
901	C3839	AW166519	MAN1B1	mannosidase, alpha, class 1B, member 1
902	A2462	AF054987	ALDOC	aldolase C, fructose-bisphosphate
903	A8287	AB105186	URLC9	up-regulated in lung cancer 9
904	A8335	AA448270		Homo sapiens, clone IMAGE:3690478, mRNA, partial cds
905	B6905	AB101203	URLC1	up-regulated in lung cancer 1
906	A2840	M68867	CRABP2	cellular retinoic acid-binding protein 2
907	C9468	AA885242		Homo sapiens clone CDABP0014 mRNA sequence
908	B4239	N51411	PSA	phosphoserine aminotransferase
909	B3876	NM_018101	FLJ10468	hypothetical protein FLJ10468
910	C0709	AA047768		ESTs
911	D3319	AA768607		ESTs
912	A7432	M32313	SRD5A1	steroid-5-alpha-reductase, alpha polypeptide 1 (3-oxo-5 alpha-steroid delta 4-dehydrogenase alpha 1)
913	A3962	AF057034	RODH-4	microsomal NAD+-dependent retinol dehydrogenase 4
914	A7908	AA490691	HOXD11	homeo box D11
915	C7457	AB105187	URLC10	up-regulated in lung cancer 10
916	B9429	Z39229		EST
917	D7212	AA132702	KIAA1096	KIAA1096 protein
918	A2254	U63743	KNSL6	kinesin-like 6 (mitotic centromere-associated kinesin)
919	B4345	AA576959		ESTs
920	A1957	NM_005483	CHAF1A	chromatin assembly factor 1, subunit A (p150)
921	A4076	AF044961	AKR1B11	aldo-keto reductase family 1, member B11 (aldose reductase-like)
922	A9518N	AA570186		ESTs, ESTs, Weakly similar to MUC2_HUMAN MUCIN 2 PRECURSOR
923	B4593	AA946930	SNRPG	small nuclear ribonucleoprotein polypeptide G
924	C4878	AA446064		ESTs
925	B1898	AA496118		EST
926	C6506	AA004412		ESTs
927	D6607	AI000650		ESTs
928	E1138	N80859	ERBB2	v-erb-b2 avian erythroblastic leukemia viral oncogene homolog 2 (neuro/glioblastoma derived oncogene homolog)

929	B8882	D14657	KIAA0101	KIAA0101 gene product
930	A5223	AA453716		ESTs
931	A0437	AF047002	ALY	transcriptional coactivator
932	B0303	AA731891	KIAA1517	KIAA1517 protein
933	B2824	AA115381		Homo sapiens cDNA FLJ12640 fis, clone NT2RM4001940, highly similar to Homo sapiens timeless homolog mRNA
934	B6283	AA677294	CIT	citron (rho-interacting, serine/threonine kinase 21)
935	C0716	AI097310		ESTs
936	C8776	AA766028	AF15Q14	AF15q14 protein
937	C0671	AI091125	FZD10	frizzled (Drosophila) homolog 10
938	C6173	W72182	FLJ13852	hypothetical protein FLJ13852
939	D8061	AA555306		ESTs
940	D5016	AI191724	KIAA1443	KIAA1443 protein
941	C7353	AA587766	FLJ21935	hypothetical protein FLJ21935
942	A4139	AA566069	ARPC4	actin related protein 2/3 complex, subunit 4 (20 kD)
943	B7138	AA429262		ESTs
944	C6222	W74371		ESTs
945	C0912	AJ001014	RAMP1	receptor (calcitonin) activity modifying protein 1
946	D9981	N30381		ESTs
947	B0259	NM_007183	PKP3	plakophilin 3
948	D5142	NM_003740	KCNK5	potassium channel, subfamily K, member 5 (TASK-2)
949	A2391	L38961	ITM1	integral membrane protein 1
950	B0323	AI363295		ESTs
951	B6053	AA916007		ESTs
952	C4825	AA287862		ESTs
953	C6562	AA012883		ESTs
954	D0684	AA420960		EST
955	C9886	AI034428		ESTs
956	D6488	NM_078480	SIAHBP1	siah binding protein 1; FBP interacting repressor; pyrimidine tract binding splicing factor; Ro ribonucleoprotein-binding protein 1
957	E0502	AI240520		ESTs
958	C4060	N35250		ESTs
959	C9858	AA748883	DNMT3B	DNA (cytosine-5-)-methyltransferase 3 beta
960	C0903	X81420	KRTHB1	keratin, hair, basic, 1
961	C6634	AA398740		ESTs
962	D9500	AI361654		ESTs
963	C5995	W58277		Homo sapiens mRNA; cDNA DKFZp586P2321 (from clone DKFZp586P2321)
964	A3765	X60673	AK3	adenylate kinase 3
965	A2448	AF010314	ENC1	ectodermal-neural cortex (with BTB-like domain)
966	C0573	H12479		ESTs
967	D0587	AA872040	INHBB	inhibin, beta B (activin AB beta polypeptide)
968	C7590	AB005989	CYP27B1	cytochrome P450, subfamily XXVIIB (25-hydroxyvitamin D-alpha-hydroxylase), polypeptide 1

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969	B7749	AI346758	GYG2	glycogenin 2
970	C6959	AA054259		EST
971	A0447	U14973	RPS29	ribosomal protein S29
972	C0247	AI352156	LOC51690	U6 snRNA-associated Sm-like protein LSm7
973	C8682	AA227919	HAS3	hyaluronan synthase 3
974	A2352	M77836	PYCR1	pyrroline-5-carboxylate reductase 1
975	B7680	AI342628	FLJ12517	hypothetical protein FLJ12517
976	A1640	X98400	MASP2	mannan-binding lectin serine protease 2
977	A6282	AI076128	ARHD	ras homolog gene family, member
978	A6884	AA523543	CRABP1	cellular retinoic acid-binding protein 1
979	B4361	AA989104	NDUFB2	NADH dehydrogenase (ubiquinone) 1 beta subcomplex, 2 (8kD, AGGG)
980	B3971	AI298472	ANKT	Nucleolar protein ANKT
981	C6522	AI249019		ESTs
982	C2298	AA357675	HES6	hypothetical protein HES6
983	C7939	X17620	NME1	non-metastatic cells 1, protein (NM23A) expressed in
984	D3205	AA077280	MLL3	myeloid/lymphoid or mixed-lineage leukemia3
985	A1618	X70683	SOX4	SRY (sex determining region Y)-box 4
986	B4397	AA873067		Homo sapiens cDNA: FLJ22940 fis, clone KAT08051
987	A2755	AF006043	PHGDH	phosphoglycerate dehydrogenase
988	A4873	U10688	MAGEA4	melanoma antigen, family A, 4
989	A3058	L16783	FOXM1	forkhead box M1
990	B4217	AA079060	WFDC2	WAP four-disulfide core domain 2
991	B6595N	XM_209944	DOLPP1	linked to Surfeit genes in Fugu rubripes 2; LSFR2 gene 2
992	A7411	M12849	SERPIND1	serine (or cysteine) proteinase inhibitor, clade D (heparin cofactor), member 1
993	A2753N	U26662	NPTX2	neuronal pentraxin II
994	C7028	NM_032138	DKFZp43 4E2318	hypothetical protein DKFZp434E2318
995	B8207	AA411341		Homo sapiens 3 beta-hydroxy-delta 5-C27-steroid oxidoreductase mRNA, complete cds
996	A7691	X04325	GJB1	gap junction protein, beta 1, 32kD (connexin 32, Charcot-Marie-Tooth neuropathy, X-linked)
997	B5904	AA806630	FLJ10540	hypothetical protein FLJ10540
998	B8643	AA781393		ESTs
999	A0812	M16937	HOXB7	homeo box B7
1000	A5513	AB105376	PSK-1	type I transmembrane receptor (seizure-related protein)
1001	A0725	U02082	ARHGEF5	Rho guanine nucleotide exchange factor (GEF) 5
1002	A7887	AF070588	LOC55565	hypothetical protein LOC55565
1003	B5018	T47612		ESTs
1004	A0061	AF068760	BUB1B	budding uninhibited by benzimidazoles 1 (yeast homolog), beta
1005	C6805	AA040734		Homo sapiens, clone MGC:16466 IMAGE:3952569, mRNA, complete cds
1006	C0811	W69611		ESTs
1007	C9517	AA586922	POLR2J	polymerase (RNA) II (DNA directed) polypeptide J

				(13.3kD)
1008	C1590	AI249914		ESTs
1009	C6086	AA235149		ESTs
1010	D9504	AA928656	NTS	neurotensin
1011	A0329	X07819	MMP7	matrix metalloproteinase 7 (matrilysin, uterine)
1012	C8953	AA293513	FLJ12428	hypothetical protein FLJ12428
1013	C0802	H63947		ESTs
1014	B0864	AI343440		ESTs, Weakly similar to　Ydr472wp [S.cerevisiae]
1015	C6852	AI335883	PHB	prohibitin
1016	C6225	W74482		ESTs, Weakly similar to　KIAA1362 protein [H.sapiens]
1017	D8147	AI142227	CS	citrate synthase
1018	D4112	AA648521		ESTs, Highly similar to　pre-mRNA splicing SR protein rA4 [H.sapiens]
1019	A0490	L10612	MIF	macrophage migration inhibitory factor (glycosylation-inhibiting factor)
1020	C1555	AI243620		ESTs
1021	A5740	AI304392	KIAA1436	Prostaglandin F2 receptor negative regulator
1022	A7245	AI275857		ESTs
1023	B1516	AA885961	CLDN2	Claudin 2
1024	B0436N	AA625794	MTX1	metaxin 1
1025	B3987N	N30179	PLAB	prostate differentiation factor
1026	B4030	AA056180		Human DNA sequence from clone RP4-616B8 on chromosome 20q11.222 Contains a gene for an RNA helicase, NPM1P19 (nucleophosmin 1 (nucleolar phosphoprotein B23, numatrin) pseudogene 19), part of an mRNA for KIAA0823 protein, ESTs, STSs, GSSs and CpG Islands
1027	B4587	AA504314		ESTs
1028	C3815	BE261922		Homo sapiens cDNA FLJ14154 fis, clone NT2RM1000341
1029	A3534	J00269	KRT6A	keratin 6A
1030	C0778	AI310465		Human putative ribosomal protein L36 mRNA
1031	C8481	AA604841		ESTs
1032	A0238	U01828	MAP2	microtubule-associated protein 2
1033	A6127	AI356291	ST5	Suppression of tumorigenicity 5
1034	A0494	M94556	SSBP	single-stranded DNA-binding protein
1035	A2123	K03515	GPI	glucose phosphate isomerase
1036	A2954	L05096	RPL39	Homo sapiens ribosomal protein L39 mRNA, complete cds
1037	A2822	X05978	CSTA	cystatin A (stefin A)
1038	B0292	AA375432	CLDN1	claudin 1
1039	A7172	Y10043	HMG4	high-mobility group (nonhistone chromosomal) protein 4
1040	B3500	AA725807		ESTs,Homo sapiens cDNA FLJ33104 fis, clone TRACH2000923
1041	A6005N	AA531437	MLLT4	myeloid/lymphoid or mixed-lineage leukemia (trithorax (Drosophila) homolog); translocated to, 4
1042	D0491	AA815427	SLC6A8	solute carrier family 6 (neurotransmitter transporter, creatine), member 8

1043	C2112	AI022193	A1BG	alpha-B glycoprotein
1044	C0844	AA954657		ESTs, Weakly similar to collectin 34 [H.sapiens]
1045	C6180	AA775500	HsPOX2	proline oxidase 2
1046	D1375	AA287860	E2F5	E2F transcription factor 5, p130-binding
1047	D7587	AI096953	SLC7A5	Solute carrier family 7 (cationic amino acid transporter, y+ system), member 5
1048	A2673	X16135	HNRPL	heterogeneous nuclear ribonucleoprotein L
1049	A2565	Y00278	S100A8	S100 calcium-binding protein A8 (calgranulin A)
1050	A2088	D38583	S100A11	S100 calcium-binding protein A11 (calgizzarin)
1051	A5518	AA058761	FLJ20550	hypothetical protein FLJ20550
1052	B4870	AA308062	S100P	S100 calcium-binding protein P
1053	A8597N	AA649986	SNRPF	small nuclear ribonucleoprotein polypeptide F
1054	C1463	AA001735		ESTs
1055	C0651	AI086281		ESTs
1056	D0952	AI014551		ESTs
1057	A2255	J03826	FDXR	ferredoxin reductase
1058	A5292	AC004770	FEN1	flap structure-specific endonuclease 1
1059	B6346	AA235074	TCF19	transcription factor 19 (SC1)
1060	C6722	AA977296		ESTs, Weakly similar to ´ unknown [S.cerevisiae]
1061	C4081	Z40760		Homo sapiens PIG-M mRNA for mannosyltransferase, complete cds
1062	D4812	AA923368	PTK2	PTK2 protein tyrosine kinase 2
1063	D9731	AI056637		ESTs
1064	A6139	AI356558	PAFAH1B3	platelet-activating factor acetylhydrolase, isoform Ib, gamma subunit (29kD)
1065	A8270	AA501416		ESTs
1066	B5461	AJ439063	MCM8	minichromosome maintenance 8
1067	D6549	AA994711	FLJ10052	hypothetical protein FLJ10052
1068	A6202	AA524968		ESTs, Weakly similar to T2D3_HUMAN TRANSCRIPTION INITIATION FACTOR TFIID 135 KDA SUBUNIT [H.sapiens]
1069	B4121	AA877534	GPRC5C	G protein-coupled receptor, family C, group 5, member C
1070	B4478	AA910946	AP1M2	adaptor-related protein complex 1, mu 2 subunit
1071	C7114	T16226		ESTs
1072	C7965	AA173172	FLJ13163	hypothetical protein FLJ13163
1073	C7122	AA235710	NJMU-R1	protein kinase Njmu-R1
1074	D4789	AA921896		ESTs
1075	D6248	AB101206	URLC4	up-regulated in lung cancer 4
1076	A7409	L41559	PCBD	6-pyruvoyl-tetrahydropterin synthase/dimerization cofactor of hepatocyte nuclear factor 1 alpha (TCF1)
1077	B6379	AA443685		Homo sapiens mRNA; cDNA DKFZp564H142 (from clone DKFZp564H142)
1078	A0429	U73379	UBCH10	ubiquitin carrier protein E2-C
1079	C4909	W79821		Homo sapiens HSPC265 mRNA, partial cds
1080	A4146	AA586974	PI3	protease inhibitor 3, skin-derived (SKALP)
1081	A1215	X07696	KRT15	keratin 15

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1082	A2978	X04741	UCHL1	ubiquitin carboxyl-terminal esterase L1 (ubiquitin thiolesterase)
1083	A4013	D26485	UQCRC1	ubiquinol-cytochrome c reductase core protein I
1084	A5377	AA339976	TSSC1	tumor suppressing subtransferable candidate 1
1085	B4069	AA128470	DSP	desmoplakin (DPI, DPII)
1086	A7780	AB006630	TCF20	transcription factor 20 (AR1)
1087	B2909	AA568223	TOP2A	topoisomerase (DNA) II alpha (170kD)
1088	A9040	K03195	SLC2A1	solute carrier family 2 (facilitated glucose transporter), member 1
1089	B9480	W56303	KIAA0802	KIAA0802 protein
1090	B4932	AA909294	LOC51243	hypothetical protein
1091	B5787	AA514606	FLJ10633	hypothetical protein FLJ10633
1092	B5534N	AA758653		ESTs
1093	A2694N	D31628	HPD	4-hydroxyphenylpyruvate dioxygenase
1094	B5382N	Y09836	KIAA0374	syntaphilin
1095	C6679	AI168147		Homo sapiens HSPC289 mRNA, partial cds
1096	D1477	T82181		EST
1097	B2980	AI339770		ESTs
1098	C8586	AI014673	FLJ10709	hypothetical protein FLJ10709
1099	C1388	AI244237	H2BFB	H2B histone family, member B
1100	A3156	L02870	COL7A1	collagen, type VII, alpha 1 (epidermolysis bullosa, dystrophic, dominant and recessive)
1101	A1677	U58766	TSTA3	tissue specific transplantation antigen P35B
1102	B1887	AA642480	SMG1	PI-3-kinase-related kinase SMG-1
1103	A2013N	NM_002245	KCNK1	potassium channel, subfamily K, member 1 (TWIK)
1104	A2967	X54473	COX6B	cytochrome c oxidase subunit VIb
1105	A4356	Y00503	KRT19	keratin 19
1106	A6311	AI090753	SHMT2	serine hydroxymethyltransferase 2 (mitochondrial)
1107	B4260	AB101210	URLC8	up-regulated in lung cancer 8
1108	A7435N	X16302	IGFBP2	insulin-like growth factor binding protein 2 (36kD)
1109	A6519N	AA703988	ZNF259	zinc finger protein 259
1110	B4034	AA523881		ESTs
1111	B7362	AA579959	CYP2S1	cytochrome P540 family member predicted from ESTs
1112	B8716	AA766315	FLJ10461	hypothetical protein FLJ10461
1113	C6219	AB101207	URLC5	up-regulated in lung cancer 5
1114	C2132	AA468538	BRPF3	bromodomain and PHD finger containing, 3
1115	A2837	L27711	CDKN3	cyclin-dependent kinase inhibitor 3 (CDK2-associated dual specificity phosphatase)
1116	C1434	N22773	KIAA0852	Homo sapiens mRNA; cDNA DKFZp434J1618 (from clone DKFZp434J1618); partial cds
1117	C6321	W86781		ESTs
1118	B7768	AA583339	GCNT3	glucosaminyl (N-acetyl) transferase 3, mucin type
1119	A1379	D49742	HABP2	hyaluronan-binding protein 2
1120	A0623	Y08302	DUSP9	dual specificity phosphatase 9

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1121	A6800	AI223817		ESTs, Weakly similar to secreted cement gland protein XAG-2 homolog [H.sapiens]
1122	B4227	AI189576	FLJ10439	hypothetical protein FLJ10439
1123	B5890	T78421		EST, Weakly similar to KIAA1498 protein [H.sapiens]
1124	B6599	AI083771	PFKFB2	6-phosphofructo-2-kinase/fructose-2,6-biphosphatase 2
1125	B5013	T90472	LOC51256	hypothetical protein
1126	D1400	AA481072		ESTs
1127	C8507	N66159	COX6C	cytochrome c oxidase subunit VIc
1128	D6136	AA740188		ESTs
1129	D2882	AA777954		ESTs
1130	C7435	AA573892	KIAA1359	KIAA1359 protein
1131	A9323N	NM_018373	SYNJ2BP	synaptojanin 2 binding protein
1132	C7257	AI192528		ESTs
1133	B2900	AI305234		ESTs
1134	C1890	AA308562	PLEK2	pleckstrin 2 (mouse) homolog
1135	A0918	U24183	PFKM	phosphofructokinase, muscle
1136	A0516	U12597	TRAF2	TNF receptor-associated factor 2
1137	A9262	AI160327	MRPL12	mitochondrial ribosomal protein L12
1138	B0335N	R32035		Homo sapiens PAK2 mRNA, complete cds
1139	B8344	AA164836		ESTs, Moderately similar to alternatively spliced product using exon 13A [H.sapiens]
1140	B4915N	AA459264	CBFA2T2	core-binding factor, runt domain, alpha subunit 2; translocated to, 2
1141	C4362 .	AB105188	URLC11	up-regulated in lung cancer 11
1142	C6551	NM_003826	NAPG	N-ethylmaleimide-sensitive factor attachment protein, gamma
1143	E1497	AA291604	SLC16A3	solute carrier family 16 (monocarboxylic acid transporters), member 3
1144	D8920	AI038231	USP13	Ubiquitin specific protease 13 (isopeptidase T-3)
1145	D4215	AA883311		ESTs
1146	C3759	AW504047	SMARCA4	SWI/SNF related, matrix associated, actin dependent regulator of chromatin, subfamily a, member 4
1147	D3522	AA813590	RPLP2	ribosomal protein, large P2
1148	A2805	Z49254	MRPL23	mitochondrial ribosomal protein L23
1149	A0365	U17077	BENE	BENE protein
1150	B4616	AA534943	SCYB14	small inducible cytokine subfamily B (Cys-X-Cys), member 14 (BRAK)
1151	C0986	AA699879		ESTs
1152	A5623	AF044588	PRC1	protein regulator of cytokinesis 1
1153	A2678	Z29074	KRT9	keratin 9 (epidermolytic palmoplantar keratoderma)
1154	A2498	L11932	SHMT1	serine hydroxymethyltransferase 1
1155	A6942	AA521342		ESTs
1156	B1253N	D84557	MCM6	minichromosome maintenance deficient (mis5, S. pombe) 6
1157	B7145N	AI088095	NINJ2	ninjurin 2
1158	C1881	H77737		EST

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1159	C0969	AI205093		ESTs
1160	D8285	AA748613	SMARCC1	SWI/SNF related, matrix associated, actin dependent regulator of chromatin, subfamily c, member 1
1161	C8167	AA860277		ESTs, Weakly similar to TB2 [H.sapiens]
1162	C0400	AA031695	IMP-2	IGF-II mRNA-binding protein 2
1163	A7791	AA578427		ESTs, Weakly similar to BGAM_HUMAN BETA-GALACTOSIDASE-RELATED PROTEIN PRECURSO [H.sapiens]
1164	A1198	NM002522	NPTX1	neuronal pentraxin I
1165	A7165	X92896	DXS9879E	DNA segment on chromosome X (unique) 9879 expressed sequence
1166	B1194	AA657405		ESTs
1167	A7724	AA609417	DKFZp762M136	hypothetical protein DKFZp762M136
1168	B3984	U69141	GCDH	glutaryl-Coenzyme A dehydrogenase
1169	B3086	AA743688	FLJ12892	hypothetical protein FLJ12892
1170	B6535	AA654506	HLA-A	major histocompatibility complex, class I, A
1171	A8885N	H61951	APMCF1	APMCF1 protein
1172	B7360	AA876375		ESTs, Highly similar to LB4D_HUMAN NADP-DEPENDENT LEUKOTRIENE B4 12-HYDROXYDEHYDROGENASE [H.sapiens]
1173	B7710	AI341146		ESTs
1174	B9455	AI299327		ESTs
1175	C7085	AI139873	KIAA0134	KIAA0134 gene product
1176	C9720	AA121245	RANBP7	RAN binding protein 7
1177	C4408	AA418644		ESTs, Weakly similar to C4HU complement C4A precursor [H.sapiens]
1178	D3747	AA843607		ESTs
1179	D9933	AI079544		ESTs
1180	D8458	AA830668		EST
1181	C7801	AI299827		Homo sapiens cDNA FLJ13782 fis, clone PLACE4000489, weakly similar to PROTEIN GRAINY-HEAD
1182	D9317	AA532638		ESTs, Moderately similar to ALU2_HUMAN ALU SUBFAMILY SB SEQUENCE CONTAMINATION WARNING ENTRY [H.sapiens]
1183	B0203	NM_004053	BYSL	bystin-like
1184	B8260	R27303	SURF6	Surfeit 6
1185	B8930	AB101208	URLC6	up-regulated in lung cancer 6
1186	A2788	X63187	HE4	epididymis-specific, whey-acidic protein type, four-disulfide core; putative ovarian carcinoma marker
1187	B8232	AA666114		Homo sapiens pseudouridine synthase 1 (PUS1) mRNA, partial cds
1188	A7045	AA096332		ESTs
1189	B8807	AA214125	NAP1L4	nucleosome assembly protein 1-like 4
1190	B9040	R52161		Homo sapiens mRNA; cDNA DKFZp434A2410 (from clone DKFZp434A2410); partial cds
1191	A6241N	NM_005694	COX17	COX17 (yeast) homolog, cytochrome c oxidase assembly

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1192	B8443	AA602585		ESTs
1193	B3749	AA394175		RAR (RAS like GTPASE)
1194	C0772	AI215719	KIAA0442	KIAA0442 protein
1195	C1511	AA905266	LOC51250	hypothetical protein
1196	C7658	AA143060		ESTs, Highly similar to I38945 melanoma ubiquitous mutated protein [H.sapiens]
1197	C7479	AF019413	CYP21A2	cytochrome P450, subfamily XXIA (steroid 21-hydroxylase, congenital adrenal hyperplasia), polypeptide 2
1198	A0607N	AI347538	BIK	BCL2-interacting killer (apoptosis-inducing)
1199	A2154	X59617	RRM1	ribonucleotide reductase M1 polypeptide
1200	A6724	AI193969	FLJ22759	hypothetical protein FLJ22759
1201	A9581	AB105377	SLC7A1	solute carrier family 7 (cationic amino acid transporter, y+ system), member 1
1202	A7303	N50517		ESTs
1203	B1397	AI366215		Homo sapiens mRNA; cDNA DKFZp434C0126 (from clone DKFZp434C0126); partial cds
1204	B3912	AA405413	SLC25A10	solute carrier family 25 (mitochondrial carrier; dicarboxylate transporter), member 10
1205	B3198	AI199919	FLJ20657	hypothetical protein FLJ20657
1206	B4062	X14640	KRT13	keratin 13
1207	C0531	N20321	D19S1177E	DNA segment on chromosome 19 (unique) 1177 expressed sequence
1208	C0639	H17516		ESTs
1209	C7434	AI333599	LOC56287	CA11
1210	D5382	H90132		ESTs
1211	A1604	X52186	ITGB4	integrin, beta 4
1212	A0024	AF017790	HEC	highly expressed in cancer, rich in leucine heptad repeats
1213	A2728	X87342	LLGL2	lethal giant larvae (Drosophila) homolog 2
1214	A3410	L77566	DGSI	DiGeorge syndrome critical region gene DGSI
1215	B5730	AI367310		ESTs, Weakly similar to dJ37E16.5 [H.sapiens]
1216	B6539	AI239432		ESTs
1217	A4009	D17793	AKR1C3	aldo-keto reductase family 1, member C3 (3-alpha hydroxysteroid dehydrogenase, type II)
1218	A2832	D13118	ATP5G1	ATP synthase, H+ transporting, mitochondrial F0 complex, subunit c (subunit 9), isoform 1
1219	A5666	AA457022	E2IG5	hypothetical protein, estradiol-induced
1220	A1434	M10036	TPI1	triosephosphate isomerase 1
1221	A4593	U94836	ERPROT213-21	protein with polyglutamine repeat; calcium (ca2+) homeostasis endoplasmic reticulum protein
1222	A2150	D89618	KPNA3	karyopherin alpha 3 (importin alpha 4)
1223	A4536	Y09723	ZNF151	zinc finger protein 151 (pHZ-67)
1224	B2589	AA586814		ESTs
1225	A8643	AA701659	HUGT1	UDP-glucose:glycoprotein glucosyltransferase 1

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1226	B9253	R59595		ESTs
1227	B5279	AA700186	FST	follistatin
1228	B7214N	AA741058		ESTs
1229	A2411N	AI312652	MRPS24	Mitochondrial ribosomal protein S24
1230	B7343N	AA521052		ESTs, Weakly similar to ALU1_HUMAN ALU SUBFAMILY J SEQUENCE CONTAMINATION WARNING ENTRY [H.sapiens]
1231	C2021	N40918		Homo sapiens mRNA; cDNA DKFZp761G1111 (from clone DKFZp761G1111)
1232	C9732	AA019655		EST
1233	C3905	L48863		Homo sapiens mRNA; cDNA DKFZp434P0235 (from clone DKFZp434P0235)
1234	C9495	R99122		ESTs, Highly similar to CBF_HUMAN CCAAT-BINDING FACTOR [H.sapiens]
1235	D8547	AI018498	FLJ20591	hypothetical protein
1236	D5388	AI301490	HSPC135	HSPC135 protein
1237	D3023	AA781745		ESTs, Moderately similar to KIAA0638 protein [H.sapiens]
1238	D8837	AI025916	FSP-2	fibrousheathin II
1239	A3311	L04483	RPS21	ribosomal protein S21
1240	C3979	AK074088	FLJ00159	Homo sapiens cDNA: FLJ00159
1241	B1719	AA634294		ESTs
1242	B8220	AF074264	LRP6	low density lipoprotein receptor-related protein 6
1243	C9360	AI366259		ESTs
1244	C7637	AA491000		Homo sapiens mRNA; cDNA DKFZp586N1720 (from clone DKFZp586N1720)
1245	A4460	AF037335	CA12	carbonic anhydrase XII
1246	A0060	NM_003599	SUPT3H	suppressor of Ty 3 homolog (S.cerevisiae)
1247	A5640	AA047322	MGC5585	hypothetical protein MGC5585
1248	B7466	AA128378		ESTs
1249	B3907	AA913298	KIAA0969	KIAA0969 protein
1250	B3698	AA234475		PRIP-interacting protein with methyltransferase domain
1251	C8029	M19309	TNNT1	troponin T1, skeletal, slow
1252	C9747	AA420675		ESTs, Moderately similar to RL39_HUMAN 60S RIBOSOMAL PROTEIN L3 [H.sapiens]
1253	D6683	AI361048		ESTs
1254	E1250	NM_018231	FLJ10815	hypothetical protein FLJ10815
1255	B5640	AA759219		Homo sapiens cDNA FLJ13123 fis, clone NT2RP3002763
1256	D8485	AI277810	PSMC2	proteasome (prosome, macropain) 26S subunit, ATPase, 2
1257	C1487	N50938		Homo sapiens cDNA FLJ20428 fis, clone KAT03458, highly similar to Z184_HUMAN ZINC FINGER PROTEIN 184
1258	C3716	AK025906		Homo sapiens cDNA: FLJ22253 fis, clone HRC02763
1259	C2294	AI018174		ESTs
1260	E0161	AI090079		EST

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1261	D8466	AA642343		ESTs
1262	A0458	U14968	RPL27A	ribosomal protein L27a
1263	A0345	X52943	ATF7	activating transcription factor 7
1264	A0333	X13293	MYBL2	v-myb avian myeloblastosis viral oncogene homolog-like 2
1265	A3919	NM_004212	SLC28A2	solute carrier family 28 (sodium-coupled nucleoside transporter), member 2
1266	A3982	AJ000553	SH2D2A	SH2 domain protein 2A
1267	A2219	M55265	CSNK2A1	casein kinase 2, alpha 1 polypeptide
1268	A4181	AA847250	SSR4	signal sequence receptor, delta (translocon-associated protein delta)
1269	B4899	AI366597		ESTs
1270	B0906	H05704	HCR	HCR (a-helix coiled-coil rod homologue)
1271	B4480	W29089		ESTs, Moderately similar to unnamed protein product [H.sapiens]
1272	B4535	AI125927	FLJ13441	hypothetical protein FLJ13441
1273	B7505	NM152440	FLJ32549	hypothetical protein FLJ32549
1274	C4593	AI192455		ESTs
1275	C6763	AA032253		ESTs
1276	C1901	AA649063	FLJ21865	hypothetical protein FLJ21865
1277	C4573	AA952902		ESTs
1278	C4172	AA477870	B4GALT7	xylosylprotein beta1,4-galactosyltransferase, polypeptide 7 (galactosyltransferase I)
1279	E1007	Z82244	TOM1	target of myb1 (chicken) homolog
1280	C6687	AA043093		ESTs, Weakly similar to S10590 cysteine proteinase [H.sapiens]
1281	B9303	AI271678		ESTs
1282	C4388	H59788	PBP	prostatic binding protein
1283	A3553	J05581	MUC1	mucin 1, transmembrane
1284	A5644	W76105		ESTs, Weakly similar to AF151840 1 CGI-82 protein [H.sapiens]
1285	A4962	S76474	NTRK2	neurotrophic tyrosine kinase, receptor, type 2
1286	B3873N	AA703211	FLJ20736	hypothetical protein FLJ20736
1287	B4531	N62451		Homo sapiens cDNA FLJ11883 fis, clone HEMBA1007178
1288	B5091	AB037857	PTGFRN	prostaglandin F2 receptor negative regulator
1289	C0691	AA132089		ESTs, Highly similar to unnamed protein product [H.sapiens]
1290	E0560	AA701308	GALNT2	UDP-N-acetyl-alpha-D-galactosamine:polypeptide N-acetylgalactosaminyltransferase 2 (GalNAc-T2)
1291	A0831	M21389	KRT5	keratin 5 (epidermolysis bullosa simplex, Dowling-Meara/Kobner/Weber-Cockayne types)
1292	A7765	BC035631	C17orf26	chromosome 17 open reading frame 26
1293	A2507	D13757	PPAT	phosphoribosyl pyrophosphate amidotransferase
1294	A7115	U78082	MED6	RNA polymerase II transcriptional regulation mediator (Med6, S. cerevisiae, homolog of)

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1295	A4114N	NM001109	ADAM8	a disintegrin and metalloproteinase domain 8
1296	B4017	AA088857		ESTs
1297	B7165N	AA194384		ESTs
1298	C4548	N64368		ESTs
1299	B8237	H49431	KIAA0720	KIAA0720 protein
1300	B8883	AF070546	IL14	interleukin 14
1301	A2955	L15203	TFF3	trefoil factor 3 (intestinal)
1302	A6673	AA020936	LOC51754	NAG-5 protein
1303	A6979	AI357616		Homo sapiens mRNA; cDNA DKFZp434C107 (from clone DKFZp434C107)
1304	B6651	N47861	PDP	pyruvate dehydrogenase phosphatase
1305	C1558	AI201953		ESTs
1306	C2000	AF000148	ABCA4	ATP-binding cassette, sub-family A (ABC1), member 4
1307	C8101	N47307	NDUFA1	NADH dehydrogenase (ubiquinone) 1 alpha subcomplex, 1 (7.5kD, MWFE)
1308	D1346	AI091975		ESTs
1309	A7046	W04300		ESTs, Highly similar to Unknown gene product [H.sapiens]
1310	C1849	AI338625	FJX1	putative secreted ligand homologous to fjx1
1311	A1259	AF007170	KIAA0452	DEME-6 protein
1312	A4474	AF047433	ITGB4BP	integrin beta 4 binding protein
1313	B8016	AA528243		ESTs
1314	B3530N	AI333192	GJB2	gap junction protein, beta 2, 26kD (connexin 26)
1315	C7582	AA461250		ESTs
1316	D8905	AI021894		ESTs, Weakly similar to ALU8_HUMAN ALU SUBFAMILY SX SEQUENCE CONTAMINATION WARNING ENTRY [H.sapiens]
1317	A1139	L24203	ATDC	ataxia-telangiectasia group D-associated protein
1318	A8614	AA521149	PSAP	prosaposin (variant Gaucher disease and variant metachromatic leukodystrophy)
1319	C7495	D81606		Homo sapiens mRNA; cDNA DKFZp434M0531 (from clone DKFZp434M0531)
1320	C9099	AA505974		ESTs
1321	A7204	AA315827	TXN	thioredoxin
1322	B7369	AI289480		Homo sapiens cDNA FLJ13044 fis, clone NT2RP3001355, weakly similar to TRICARBOXYLATE TRANSPORT PROTEIN PRECURSOR
1323	C9024	AA281364		DKFZp434D177 Hypothetical protein DKFZp434D177
1324	B4647	AA625270	FLJ20640	hypothetical protein FLJ20640
1325	C7351	AI357002	FACL5	long-chain fatty acid coenzyme A ligase 5
1326	C0764	AA045020	FLJ13576	hypothetical protein FLJ13576
1327	C1018	AA970651		Homo sapiens cDNA: FLJ22256 fis, clone HRC02860
1328	E0465	AA421724	CDC20	CDC20 (cell division cycle 20, S. cerevisiae, homolog)
1329	A0309	U85658	TFAP2C	transcription factor AP-2 gamma (activating enhancer-binding protein 2 gamma)
1330	B2602	AA810725	FLJ11273	hypothetical protein FLJ11273

1331	B2951	L16785	NME2	non-metastatic cells 2, protein (NM23B) expressed in
1332	A5136N	AA029950	ST14	suppression of tumorigenicity 14 (colon carcinoma, matriptase, epithin)
1333	B9980	AI284476		ESTs
1334	A3526	D87957	RQCD1	RCD1 required for cell differentiation1 homolog (S. pombe)
1335	A1054	M13755	ISG15	interferon-stimulated protein, 15 kDa
1336	A1803	M31159	IGFBP3	insulin-like growth factor binding protein 3
1337	A4699	U49260	MVD	mevalonate (diphospho) decarboxylase
1338	A2108	U05861	AKR1C1	aldo-keto reductase family 1, member C1 (dihydrodiol dehydrogenase 1; 20-alpha (3-alpha)-hydroxysteroid dehydrogenase)
1339	A4072	AF040105	RCL	putative c-Myc-responsive
1340	A5567	AA236980		Homo sapiens cDNA FLJ11856 fis, clone HEMBA1006789
1341	A4011	D26125	AKR1C4	aldo-keto reductase family 1, member C4 (chlordecone reductase; 3-alpha hydroxysteroid dehydrogenase, type I; dihydrodiol dehydrogenase 4)
1342	A4122	AA315816	RBX1	ring-box 1
1343	A3970	AB105190	GPR49	G protein-coupled receptor 49
1344	A4695	U44427	TPD52L1	tumor protein D52-like 1
1345	A5660	AA780068	HT002	HT002 protein; hypertension-related calcium-regulated gene
1346	A2595	Y00281	RPN1	ribophorin I
1347	A2402	M61831	AHCY	S-adenosylhomocysteine hydrolase
1348	A3246	M57899	UGT1A1	UDP glycosyltransferase 1 family, polypeptide A1
1349	A0587	X74795	MCM5	minichromosome maintenance deficient (S. cerevisiae) 5 (cell division cycle 46)
1350	A3009	M30704	AREG	amphiregulin (schwannoma-derived growth factor)
1351	A0374	M61764	TUBG1	tubulin, gamma 1
1352	A2323	V00494	ALB	albumin
1353	A7608	AI338589		Homo sapiens mRNA; cDNA DKFZp434B0425 (from clone DKFZp434B0425)
1354	A6625	AB002341	NRCAM	neuronal cell adhesion molecule
1355	B5638	AI242496		Homo sapiens cDNA FLJ12827 fis, clone NT2RP2002939, weakly similar to ZINC FINGER PROTEIN 136
1356	A9077	AA233853	E1B-AP5	E1B-55kDa-associated protein 5
1357	B4311	T55926		ESTs
1358	B3857	AA418779	POLR2F	polymerase (RNA) II (DNA directed) polypeptide F
1359	B8243	AB011090	KIAA0518	Max-interacting protein
1360	B5455	AA847227	NUBP2	nucleotide binding protein 2 (E.coli MinD like)
1361	B4495	AI146846	PAR3	three-PDZ containing protein similar to C. elegans PAR3 (partitioning defect)
1362	A6636	AB105192	SCAMP5	secretory carrier membrane protein 5
1363	B4430	AI147455	H17	hypothetical protein
1364	B8276	AI246699	CATX-8	CATX-8 protein

1365	A9513N	AA775810		ESTs, Moderately similar to ALUB_HUMAN !!!! ALU CLASS B WARNING ENTRY !!! [H.sapiens]
1366	B3935	AA514317	FLJ11090	hypothetical protein FLJ11090
1367	B3554	AA720678		ESTs
1368	B4262	AI066536		ESTs, Weakly similar to ALU8_HUMAN ALU SUBFAMILY SX SEQUENCE CONTAMINATION WARNING ENTRY [H.sapiens]
1369	B4094	R47458	KIAA1151	KIAA1151 protein
1370	B6577N	AI086204	TM4SF6	transmembrane 4 superfamily member 6
1371	B7305	AA342649	LOC56755	hypothetical protein LOC56755
1372	B4469	N76634	FLJ20315	hypothetical protein FLJ20315
1373	B5212	AA468294		ESTs
1374	B4508	R55793		ESTs
1375	B6879	N72576		ESTs, Weakly similar to ALU8_HUMAN ALU SUBFAMILY SX SEQUENCE CONTAMINATION WARNING ENTRY [H.sapiens]
1376	C2251	AA923049		ESTs, Weakly similar to ALU4_HUMAN ALU SUBFAMILY SB2 SEQUENCE CONTAMINATION WARNING ENTRY [H.sapiens]
1377	C9596	AA830354		ESTs
1378	C0427	AA402968	LTBP3	latent transforming growth factor beta binding protein 3
1379	C8624	AA827213	AKAP8	A kinase (PRKA) anchor protein 8
1380	C1958	W31174		ESTs
1381	D0767	AA625387		ESTs, Moderately similar to ALU7_HUMAN ALU SUBFAMILY SQ SEQUENCE CONTAMINATION WARNING ENTRY [H.sapiens]
1382	C2226	N20968		ESTs
1383	C8280	D79995	KIAA0173	KIAA0173 gene product
1384	C6985	AA055971	KIAA0810	Homo sapiens cDNA FLJ12407 fis, clone MAMMA1002843
1385	E1371	AI700180	SES2	Sestrin 2
1386	D8019	AA502265	RRP4	homolog of Yeast RRP4 (ribosomal RNA processing 4), 3'-5'-exoribonuclease
1387	D3571	AI208033		ESTs
1388	D9210	AA921763		ESTs

Table3   up-regulated genes(≧x5, 33%-50% of cases)

NSC Assign ment	LMMID	Acc	Symbol	TITLE
1389	A2796	NM_006681	NMU	neuromedin U
1390	A6122	AA332510		MAGE-E1 protein
1391	A1564	U70370	PITX1	paired-like homeodomain transcription factor 1
1392	A4242	AI094346	LGALS7	lectin, galactoside-binding, soluble, 7 (galectin 7)
1393	B1836	AI093275		Homo sapiens cDNA FLJ14259 fis, clone PLACE1001076
1394	B5412N	AA604379	FLJ10156	hypothetical protein

1395	A2033N	U03272	FBN2	fibrillin 2 (congenital contractural arachnodactyly)
1396	C1701	H60869		ESTs
1397	C4786	N72266		Homo sapiens mRNA; cDNA DKFZp564O2364 (from clone DKFZp564O2364)
1398	C7152	AI338356	DKFZP586C1324	DKFZP586C1324 protein
1399	D1223	AI278397	DLX5	distal-less homeo box 5
1400	C7676	AA148929		ESTs
1401	C7747	AI282097		ESTs
1402	C6149	W70242		ESTs
1403	C9574	AA813008	FOP	FGFR1 oncogene partner
1404	C6936	AI028661		ESTs
1405	C2011	AI087330		ESTs
1406	C3800	AA122217	LOC51654	CGI-05 protein
1407	C4296	AI193975		ESTs
1408	C6211	AI127359	HSPCA	heat shock 90kD protein 1, alpha
1409	C7751	AA159920		ESTs, Weakly similar to ALU7_HUMAN ALU SUBFAMILY SQ SEQUENCE CONTAMINATION WARNING ENTRY [H.sapiens]
1410	C8372	AI243594		ESTs
1411	C7048	R43598		ESTs
1412	C0589	N20480	HSPC157	HSPC157 protein
1413	C2309	AI351898		ESTs
1414	C7610	AA446866		ESTs
1415	C7681	AA151182	LOC58495	putative zinc finger protein from EUROIMAGE 566589
1416	D1352	AA465341		ESTs
1417	C1938	AI332412	HOXC9	homeo box C9
1418	C7399	AA195941		ESTs
1419	C9071	AA423972		Homo sapiens cDNA: FLJ22562 fis, clone HSI01814
1420	C8926	NM_024944	CHODL	chondrolectin
1421	C6055	AA001450		ESTs
1422	C7422	AA131918	TMEM3	transmembrane protein 3
1423	D4376	AA883952		ESTs
1424	E0451	U10691	MAGEA6	melanoma antigen, family A, 6
1425	D4637	AA740747		ESTs
1426	D5215	AA937589		ESTs
1427	D6767	AA904882		ESTs
1428	D3103	AA760780		Homo sapiens clone FLC0675 PRO2870 mRNA, complete cds
1429	E1110	AW187989		ESTs
1430	B9320	AI360163		ESTs
1431	B6707	AA514538	EIF2C2	eukaryotic translation initiation factor 2C, 2
1432	B6526	AA634299	PAK6	p21-activated protein kinase 6
1433	C1796	AA019195		ESTs

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1434	C4520	N63600		ESTs
1435	C6421	AI050743	DKFZp586H0623	hypothetical protein DKFZp586H0623
1436	D9991	AI074567	FLJ10858	hypothetical protein FLJ10858
1437	C4449	N62731		ESTs
1438	D1425	T03044		EST
1439	A3477	U30891	PC	pyruvate carboxylase
1440	B6854	AI243321		High-mobility group (nonhistone chromosomal) protein 2
1441	B4301	BC039195	HSNOV1	novel protein
1442	C6020	AA863228	KIAA0493	KIAA0493 protein
1443	C9940	AA923485		ESTs
1444	A5678N	AI219861	TMPO	thymopoietin
1445	C3787	AI439055	RANBP3	RAN binding protein 3
1446	A0574	X66363	PCTK1	PCTAIRE protein kinase 1
1447	A6518	AB009672	ADAM23	a disintegrin and metalloproteinase domain 23
1448	B2579N	N70341	KIAA0672	ESTs

Diagnosing non-small cell lung cancer

By measuring the expression level of the various NSC genes, the occurrence of non-small cell lung cancer or a predisposition to develop non-small cell lung cancer in a
5   subject can be determined using a biological sample derived from the subject.

The invention involves determining (e.g., measuring) the expression level of at least one, and up to all the NSC sequences listed in Tables 1-3 in a biological sample.

According to the present invention, a gene transcript of the non-small cell lung cancer-associated gene is detected for determining the expression level of the gene.
10   Based on the sequence information provided by the GenBank™ database entries for the known sequences, the non-small cell lung cancer-associated genes can be detected and measured using techniques well known to one of ordinary skill in the art.   The gene transcripts detected by the method include both the transcription and translation products, such as mRNA and proteins.   For example, sequences within the sequence database
15   entries corresponding to NSC polynucleotides can be used to construct probes for detecting NSC mRNAs by, e.g., Northern blot hybridization analyses.   The hybridization of the probe to a gene transcript in a subject biological sample can be also carried out on a DNA array.   The use of an array is preferable for detecting the expression level of a plurality of the NSC genes.   As another example, the sequences can be used to construct primers for
20   specifically amplifying the NSC polynucleotides in, e.g., amplification-based detection methods such as reverse-transcription based polymerase chain reaction (RT-PCR). Furthermore, the expression level of the NSC genes can be analyzed based on the biological activity or quantity of proteins encoded by the genes.   A method for determining the quantity

of the protein includes immunoassay methods.

Any biological materials may be used as the biological sample for determining the expression level so long as NSC gene can be detected in the sample and includes test cell populations (*i.e.*, subject derived tissue sample). Preferably, the biological sample comprises

5   a lung cell (a cell obtained from the lung). Gene expression may also be measured in blood, serum or other bodily fluids such as sputum. Furthermore, the test sample may be cells purified from a tissue.

The subject diagnosed for non-small cell lung cancer according to the method is preferably a mammal and includes human, non-human primate, mouse, rat, dog, cat, horse

10   and cow.

The expression level of one or more of the NSC genes in the biological sample is compared to the expression level(s) of the same genes in a reference sample. The reference sample includes one or more cells with known parameters, *i.e.*, cancerous or non-cancerous. The reference sample should be derived from a tissue type similar to that of the test sample.

15   Alternatively, the control expression level may be determined based on a database of molecular information derived from cells for which the assayed parameter or condition is known.

Whether or not a pattern of the gene expression levels in a biological sample indicates the presence of the NSCLC depends upon the composition of the reference cell

20   population. For example, when the reference cell population is composed of non-cancerous cells, a similar gene expression level in the test biological sample to that of the reference indicates that the test biological sample is non-cancerous. On the other hand, when the reference cell population is made of cancerous cells, a similar gene expression profile in the biological sample to that of the reference indicates that the test

25   biological sample includes cancerous cells.

The test biological sample may be compared to multiple reference samples. Each of the multiple reference samples may differ in the known parameter. Thus, a test sample may be compared to a reference sample known to contain, *e.g.*, non-small cell lung cancer cells, and at the same time to a second reference sample known to contain, *e.g.*,

30   non-non-small cell lung cancer cells (normal cells).

According to the invention, the expression of one or more of the non-small cell lung cancer-associated gene, *e.g.*, NSC 1-1448 is determined in the biological sample and compared to the normal control level of the same gene. The phrase "normal control level" refers to an expression profile of the non-small cell lung cancer-associated gene(s)

35   typically found in a biological sample of a population not suffering from non-small cell lung cancer. The expression level of the NSC genes in the biological samples from a

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control and test subjects may be determined at the same time or the normal control level may be determined by a statistical method based on the results obtained by analyzing the expression level of the gene(s) in samples previously collected from a control group.   An increase or a decrease of the expression level of the non-small cell lung cancer-associated

5   genes in the biological sample derived from a patient derived tissue sample indicates that the subject is suffering from or is at risk of developing non-small cell lung cancer.   For example, an increase in the expression level of NSC 807-1448 in the test biological sample compared to the normal control level indicates that the subject is suffering from or is at risk of developing non-small cell lung cancer.   On the other hand, a decrease in the expression

10   level of NSC 1-806 in the test biological sample compared to the normal control level indicates that the subject is suffering from or is at risk of developing non-small cell lung cancer.

An expression level of a NSC gene in a test biological sample can be considered altered when the expression level differs from that of the reference by more than 1.0, 1.5,

15   2.0, 5.0, 10.0 or more fold.   Alternatively, an expression level of a NSC gene in a test biological sample can be considered altered, when the expression level is increased or decreased to that of the reference at least 50%, 60%, 80%, 90% or more.

The difference in gene expression between the test sample and a reference sample may be normalized to a control, e.g., housekeeping gene.   For example, a control

20   polynucleotide includes those whose expression levels are known not to differ between the cancerous and non-cancerous cells.   The expression levels of the control polynucleotide in the test and reference samples can be used to normalize the expression levels detected for the NSC genes.   The control genes to be used in the present invention include β-actin, glyceraldehyde 3-phosphate dehydrogenase and ribosomal protein P1.

25   The differentially expressed NSC genes identified herein also allow for monitoring the course of treatment of non-small cell lung cancer.   In this method, a test biological sample is provided from a subject undergoing treatment for non-small cell lung cancer.   If desired, multiple test biological samples are obtained from the subject at various time points before, during or after the treatment.   The expression of one or more of the NSC

30   genes in the sample is then determined and compared to a reference sample with a known state of non-small cell lung cancer that has not been exposed to the treatment.

If the reference sample contains no non-small cell lung cancer cells, a similarity in the expression level of the NSC genes in the test biological sample and the reference sample indicates the efficaciousness of the treatment.   However, a difference in the

35   expression level of the NSC genes in the test and the reference samples indicates a less favorable clinical outcome or prognosis.

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The term "efficacious" refers that the treatment leads to a reduction in the expression of a pathologically up-regulated gene (NSC 807-1448), increase in the expression of a pathologically down-regulated gene (NSC 1-806) or a decrease in size, prevalence or metastatic potential of non-small cell lung cancer in a subject.   When a treatment is applied prophylactically, "efficacious" means that the treatment retards or prevents occurrence of non-small cell lung cancer or alleviates a clinical symptom of non-small cell lung cancer.   The assessment of non-small cell lung cancer can be made using standard clinical protocols.   Furthermore, the efficaciousness of a treatment is determined in association with any known method for diagnosing or treating non-small cell lung cancer.   For example, non-small cell lung cancer is diagnosed histopathologically or by identifying symptomatic anomalies such as chronic cough, hoarseness, coughing up blood, weight loss, loss of appetite, shortness of breath, wheezing, repeated bouts of bronchitis or pneumonia and chest pain.

Moreover, the present method for diagnosing non-small cell lung cancer may also be applied for assessing the prognosis of a patient with the cancer by comparing the expression level of the NSC gene(s) in the patient-derived biological sample.   Alternatively, the expression level of the gene(s) in the biological sample may be measured over a spectrum of disease stages to assess the prognosis of the patient.

An increase in the expression level of the NSC 807-1448 or decrease in that of the NSC 1-806 compared to a normal control level indicates less favorable prognosis.   A similarity in the expression level of the NSC 807-1448 or NSC 1-806 compared to a normal control level indicates a more favorable prognosis of the patient.   Preferably, the prognosis of a subject can be assessed by comparing the expression profile of NSC 807-1448 or NSC 1-806.

Expression profile

The invention also provides a non-small cell lung cancer reference expression profile comprising a pattern of gene expression levels of two or more of NSC 1-1448.   The expression profile serves as a control for the diagnosis of non-small cell lung cancer or predisposition to developing the disease, monitoring the course of treatment and assessing prognosis of a subject with the disease.

Identifying compounds that inhibit or enhance non-small cell lung cancer-associated gene expression

A compound that inhibits the expression or activity of a non-small cell lung cancer-associated gene is identified by contacting a test cell expressing a non-small cell

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lung cancer-associated gene with a test compound and determining the expression level or activity of the non-small cell lung cancer-associated gene.   A decrease in expression compared to the normal control level indicates that the compound is an inhibitor of the non-small cell lung cancer-associated gene.   When the non-small cell lung

5   cancer-associated gene expressed in the test cell is an up-regulated gene, the compound identified according to the method is useful for inhibiting non-small cell lung cancer.

Alternatively, a compound that enhances the expression or activity of a non-small cell lung cancer-associated gene may be identified as an enhancer of the gene by contacting a test cell population expressing a non-small cell lung cancer-associated gene

10   with a test compound and determining the expression level or activity of the non-small cell lung cancer-associated gene.   When the non-small cell lung cancer-associated gene expressed in the test cell is a down-regulated gene, the compound identified according to the method is suggested to be useful for inhibiting non-small cell lung cancer.

The test cell may be a population of cells and includes any cells as long as the cell

15   expresses the target non-small cell lung cancer-associated gene(s).   For example, the test cell contains an epithelial cell, such as a cell derived from the lung tissue, blood, serum or sputum.   The test cell may be an immortalized cell line derived from a non-small cell lung cancer cell.   Alternatively, the test cell may be a cell transfected with an NSC gene or which has been transfected with the regulatory sequence (e.g., promoter) of an NSC gene

20   that is operably linked to a reporter gene.

Screening compounds

Using the NSC gene, proteins encoded by the gene or transcriptional regulatory region of the gene, compounds can be screened that alter the expression of the gene or

25   biological activity of a polypeptide encoded by the gene.   Such compounds are expected to serve as pharmaceuticals for treating or preventing non-small cell lung cancer.

Therefore, the present invention provides a method of screening for a compound for treating or preventing non-small cell lung cancer using the polypeptide of the present invention.   An embodiment of this screening method comprises the steps of: (a)

30   contacting a test compound with a polypeptide of the present invention; (b) detecting the binding activity between the polypeptide of the present invention and the test compound; and (c) selecting the compound that binds to the polypeptide of the present invention.

The polypeptide to be used for the screening may be a recombinant polypeptide or a protein derived from the nature or a partial peptide thereof.   The polypeptide to be

35   contacted with a test compound can be, for example, a purified polypeptide, a soluble protein, a form bound to a carrier or a fusion protein fused with other polypeptides.

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As a method of screening for proteins that bind to the NSC polypeptide, many methods well known by a person skilled in the art can be used.   Such a screening can be conducted by, for example, immunoprecipitation method, specifically, in the following manner.   A gene encoding any of the NSC polypeptides is expressed in animal cells and
5   so on by inserting the gene into an expression vector for foreign genes, such as pSV2neo, pcDNA I, pcDNA3.1, pCAGGS and pCD8.   The promoter to be used for the expression may be any promoter that can be used commonly and include, for example, the SV40 early promoter (Rigby in Williamson (ed.), Genetic Engineering, vol. 3. Academic Press, London, 83-141 (1982)), the EF-α promoter (Kim et al., Gene 91: 217-23 (1990)), the
10   CAG promoter (Niwa et al., Gene 108: 193-200 (1991)), the RSV LTR promoter (Cullen, Methods in Enzymology 152: 684-704 (1987)) the SRα promoter (Takebe et al., Mol Cell Biol 8: 466 (1988)), the CMV immediate early promoter (Seed and Aruffo, Proc Natl Acad Sci USA 84: 3365-9 (1987)), the SV40 late promoter (Gheysen and Fiers, J Mol Appl Genet 1: 385-94 (1982)), the Adenovirus late promoter (Kaufman et al., Mol Cell Biol 9:
15   946 (1989)), the HSV TK promoter and so on.   The introduction of the gene into animal cells to express a foreign gene can be performed according to any methods, for example, the electroporation method (Chu et al., Nucleic Acids Res 15: 1311-26 (1987)), the calcium phosphate method (Chen and Okayama, Mol Cell Biol 7: 2745-52 (1987)), the DEAE dextran method (Lopata et al., Nucleic Acids Res 12: 5707-17 (1984); Sussman and
20   Milman, Mol Cell Biol 4: 1642-3 (1985)), the Lipofectin method (Derijard, B Cell 7: 1025-37 (1994); Lamb et al., Nature Genetics 5: 22-30 (1993): Rabindran et al., Science 259: 230-4 (1993)) and so on.   The NSC polypeptide can also be expressed as a fusion protein comprising a recognition site (epitope) of a monoclonal antibody by introducing the epitope of the monoclonal antibody, whose specificity has been revealed, to the N- or
25   C- terminus of the polypeptide.   A commercially available epitope-antibody system can be used (Experimental Medicine 13: 85-90 (1995)).   Vectors which can express a fusion protein with, for example, β-galactosidase, maltose binding protein, glutathione S-transferase, green florescence protein (GFP) and so on by the use of its multiple cloning sites are commercially available.
30   A fusion protein prepared by introducing only small epitopes consisting of several to a dozen amino acids so as not to change the property of the NSC polypeptide by the fusion is also reported.   Epitopes, such as polyhistidine (His-tag), influenza aggregate HA, human c-myc, FLAG, Vesicular stomatitis virus glycoprotein (VSV-GP), T7 gene 10 protein (T7-tag), human simple herpes virus glycoprotein (HSV-tag), E-tag (an epitope on
35   monoclonal phage) and such, and monoclonal antibodies recognizing them can be used as the epitope-antibody system for screening proteins binding to the NSC polypeptides

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(Experimental Medicine 13: 85-90 (1995)).

In immunoprecipitation, an immune complex is formed by adding these antibodies to cell lysate prepared using an appropriate detergent. The immune complex consists of the NSC polypeptide, a polypeptide comprising the binding ability with the polypeptide,

5   and an antibody. Immunoprecipitation can be also conducted using antibodies against the NSC polypeptide, besides using antibodies against the above epitopes, which antibodies can be prepared as described above.

An immune complex can be precipitated, for example with Protein A sepharose or Protein G sepharose when the antibody is a mouse IgG antibody. If the NSC polypeptide

10   is prepared as a fusion protein with an epitope, such as GST, an immune complex can be formed in the same manner as in the use of the antibody against the NSC polypeptide, using a substance specifically binding to these epitopes, such as glutathione-Sepharose 4B.

Immunoprecipitation can be performed by following or according to, for example, the methods in the literature (Harlow and Lane, Antibodies, 511-52, Cold Spring Harbor

15   Laboratory publications, New York (1988)).

SDS-PAGE is commonly used for analysis of immunoprecipitated proteins and the bound protein can be analyzed by the molecular weight of the protein using gels with an appropriate concentration. Since the protein bound to the NSC polypeptide is difficult to detect by a common staining method, such as Coomassie staining or silver staining, the

20   detection sensitivity for the protein can be improved by culturing cells in culture medium containing radioactive isotope, ^{35}S-methionine or ^{35}S-cystein, labeling proteins in the cells, and detecting the proteins. The target protein can be purified directly from the SDS-polyacrylamide gel and its sequence can be determined, when the molecular weight of the protein has been revealed.

25   As a method for screening proteins binding to any of the NSC polypeptides using the polypeptide, for example, West-Western blotting analysis (Skolnik et al., Cell 65: 83-90 (1991)) can be used. Specifically, a protein binding to an NSC polypeptide can be obtained by preparing a cDNA library from cells, tissues, organs (for example, tissues such as testis and prostate) or cultured cells (e.g., LNCaP, PC3, DU145) expected to express a

30   protein binding to the NSC polypeptide using a phage vector (e.g., ZAP), expressing the protein on LB-agarose, fixing the protein expressed on a filter, reacting the purified and labeled NSC polypeptide with the above filter, and detecting the plaques expressing proteins bound to the NSC polypeptide according to the label. The NSC polypeptide may be labeled by utilizing the binding between biotin and avidin, or by utilizing an antibody

35   that specifically binds to the NSC polypeptide, or a peptide or polypeptide (for example, GST) that is fused to the NSC polypeptide. Methods using radioisotope or fluorescence

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and such may be also used.

Alternatively, in another embodiment of the screening method of the present invention, a two-hybrid system utilizing cells may be used ("MATCHMAKER Two-Hybrid system", "Mammalian MATCHMAKER Two-Hybrid Assay Kit",
5 "MATCHMAKER one-Hybrid system" (Clontech); "HybriZAP Two-Hybrid Vector System" (Stratagene); the references "Dalton and Treisman, Cell 68: 597-612 (1992)", "Fields and Sternglanz, Trends Genet 10: 286-92 (1994)").

In the two-hybrid system, the NSC polypeptide is fused to the SRF-binding region or GAL4-binding region and expressed in yeast cells.   A cDNA library is prepared from
10 cells expected to express a protein binding to the NSC polypeptide, such that the library, when expressed, is fused to the VP16 or GAL4 transcriptional activation region.   The cDNA library is then introduced into the above yeast cells and the cDNA derived from the library is isolated from the positive clones detected (when a protein binding to the polypeptide of the invention is expressed in yeast cells, the binding of the two activates a
15 reporter gene, making positive clones detectable).   A protein encoded by the cDNA can be prepared by introducing the cDNA isolated above to *E. coli* and expressing the protein.

As a reporter gene, for example, Ade2 gene, lacZ gene, CAT gene, luciferase gene and such can be used in addition to the HIS3 gene.

A compound binding to an NSC polypeptide can also be screened using affinity
20 chromatography.   For example, the NSC polypeptide may be immobilized on a carrier of an affinity column, and a test compound, containing a protein capable of binding to the NSC polypeptide, is applied to the column.   A test compound herein may be, for example, cell extracts, cell lysates, etc.   After loading the test compound, the column is washed, and compounds bound to the NSC polypeptide can be prepared.

25   When the test compound is a protein, the amino acid sequence of the obtained protein is analyzed, an oligo DNA is synthesized based on the sequence, and cDNA libraries are screened using the oligo DNA as a probe to obtain a DNA encoding the protein.

A biosensor using the surface plasmon resonance phenomenon may be used as a
30 mean for detecting or quantifying the bound compound in the present invention.   When such a biosensor is used, the interaction between an NSC polypeptide and a test compound can be observed real-time as a surface plasmon resonance signal, using only a minute amount of polypeptide and without labeling (for example, BIAcore, Pharmacia). Therefore, it is possible to evaluate the binding between the NSC polypeptide and a test
35 compound using a biosensor such as BIAcore.

The methods of screening for molecules that bind when an immobilized NSC

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polypeptide is exposed to synthetic chemical compounds, or natural substance banks or a
random phage peptide display library, and the methods of screening using high-throughput
based on combinatorial chemistry techniques (Wrighton et al., Science 273: 458-64 (1996);
Verdine, Nature 384: 11-13 (1996); Hogan, Nature 384: 17-9 (1996)) to isolate not only
5   proteins but chemical compounds that bind to the NSC protein (including agonist and
antagonist) are well known to one skilled in the art.

Alternatively, the present invention provides a method of screening for a compound
for treating or preventing non-small cell lung cancer using a NSC polypeptide comprising
the steps as follows:

10   (a) contacting a test compound with a NSC polypeptide;

(b) detecting the biological activity of the NSC polypeptide of step (a); and

(c) selecting a compound that suppresses or enhances the biological activity of the
NSC polypeptide in comparison with the biological activity detected in the absence
of the test compound.

15   Since proteins encoded by any of the genes of NSC 1-1448 have the activity of
promoting cell proliferation of non-small cell lung cancer cells, a compound which,
promotes or inhibits this activity of one of these proteins can be screened using this activity
as an index.

Any polypeptides can be used for screening so long as they comprise the biological
20   activity of the NSC proteins.   Such biological activity includes cell-proliferating activity
of the proteins encoded by a gene of NSC 807-1448.   For example, a human protein
encoded by NSC 807-1448 can be used and polypeptides functionally equivalent to these
proteins can also be used.   Such polypeptides may be expressed endogenously or
exogenously by cells.

25   The compound isolated by this screening is a candidate for agonists or antagonists
of the NSC polypeptide.   The term "agonist" refers to molecules that activate the function
of the NSC polypeptide by binding thereto.   The term "antagonist" refers to molecules
that inhibit the function of the NSC polypeptide by binding thereto.   Moreover, a
compound isolated by this screening is a candidate for compounds which inhibit the *in vivo*
30   interaction of the NSC polypeptide with molecules (including DNAs and proteins).

When the biological activity to be detected in the present method is cell
proliferation, it can be detected, for example, by preparing cells which express an NSC
polypeptide (*e.g.*, NSC 807-1448), culturing the cells in the presence of a test compound,
and determining the speed of cell proliferation, measuring the cell cycle and such, as well
35   as by measuring the colony forming activity.

As discussed in detail above, by controlling the expression levels of an NSC gene,

one can control the onset and progression of non-small cell lung cancer.   Thus, compounds that may be used in the treatment or prevention of non-small cell lung cancer, can be identified through screenings that use the expression levels of one or more of the NSC genes as indices.   In the context of the present invention, such screening may

5 comprise, for example, the following steps:

a) contacting a test compound with a cell expressing one or more of the NSC genes; and

b) selecting a compound that reduces the expression level of one or more genes of NSC 807-1448, or elevates the expression level of one or more genes of NSC 1-806 in

10 comparison with the expression level detected in the absence of the test compound.

Cells expressing at least one of the NSC genes include, for example, cell lines established from non-small cell lung cancer cells; such cells can be used for the above screening of the present invention (e.g., A549, NCI-H226, NCI-H522, LC319).   The expression level can be estimated by methods well known to one skilled in the art.   In the

15 method of screening, a compound that reduces the expression level of at least one of the NSC genes can be selected as candidate agents to be used for the treatment or prevention of non-small cell lung cancer.

Alternatively, the screening method of the present invention may comprise the following steps:

20 a) contacting a test compound with a cell into which a vector comprising the transcriptional regulatory region of one or more marker genes and a reporter gene that is expressed under the control of the transcriptional regulatory region has been introduced, wherein the one or more marker genes are NSC 1-1448,

b) measuring the activity of said reporter gene; and

25 c) selecting a compound that reduces the expression level of said reporter gene as compared to a control when said marker gene is an up-regulated gene (e.g., NSC 807-1448) or that enhances the expression level when said marker gene is a down-regulated gene (e.g., NSC 1-806).

Suitable reporter genes and host cells are well known in the art.   The reporter

30 construct required for the screening can be prepared using the transcriptional regulatory region of a marker gene.   When the transcriptional regulatory region of a marker gene has been known to those skilled in the art, a reporter construct can be prepared using the previous sequence information.   When the transcriptional regulatory region of a marker gene remains unidentified, a nucleotide segment containing the transcriptional regulatory

35 region can be isolated from a genome library based on the nucleotide sequence information of the marker gene.

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Any test compound, for example, cell extracts, cell culture supernatant, products of
fermenting microorganism, extracts from marine organism, plant extracts, purified or crude
proteins, peptides, non-peptide compounds, synthetic micromolecular compounds and
natural compounds can be used in the screening methods of the present invention.   The
5   test compound of the present invention can be also obtained using any of the numerous
approaches in combinatorial library methods known in the art, including (1) biological
libraries, (2) spatially addressable parallel solid phase or solution phase libraries, (3)
synthetic library methods requiring deconvolution, (4) the "one-bead one-compound"
library method and (5) synthetic library methods using affinity chromatography selection.
10   The biological library methods using affinity chromatography selection is limited to
peptide libraries, while the other four approaches are applicable to peptide, non-peptide
oligomer or small molecule libraries of compounds (Lam (1997) Anticancer Drug Des. 12:
145).   Examples of methods for the synthesis of molecular libraries can be found in the
art (DeWitt et al. (1993) Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA 90: 6909; Erb et al. (1994) Proc. Natl.
15   Acad. Sci. USA 91: 11422; Zuckermann et al. (1994) J. Med. Chem. 37: 2678; Cho et al.
(1993) Science 261: 1303; Carell et al. (1994) Angew. Chem. Int. Ed. Engl. 33: 2059;
Carell et al. (1994) Angew. Chem. Int. Ed. Engl. 33: 2061; Gallop et al. (1994) J. Med.
Chem. 37: 1233).   Libraries of compounds may be presented in solution (see Houghten
(1992) Bio/Techniques 13: 412) or on beads (Lam (1991) Nature 354: 82), chips (Fodor
20   (1993) Nature 364: 555), bacteria (US Pat. No. 5,223,409), spores (US Pat. No.
5,571,698;5,403,484, and 5,223,409), plasmids (Cull et al. (1992) Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci.
USA 89: 1865) or phage (Scott and Smith (1990) Science 249: 386; Delvin (1990) Science
249: 404; Cwirla et al. (1990) Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA 87: 6378; Felici (1991) J. Mol.
Biol. 222: 301; US Pat. Application 2002103360).   The test compound exposed to a cell
25   or protein according to the screening methods of the present invention may be a single
compound or a combination of compounds.   When a combination of compounds are used
in the screening method of the invention, the compounds may be contacted sequentially or
simultaneously.

A compound isolated by the screening methods of the present invention is a
30   candidate for drugs which promote or inhibit the activity of a NSC polypeptide, for treating
or preventing diseases attributed to, for example, cell proliferative diseases, such as
non-small cell lung cancer.   A compound in which a part of the structure of the compound
obtained by the present screening methods of the present invention is converted by
addition, deletion and/or replacement, is included in the compounds obtained by the
35   screening methods of the present invention.   A compound effective in stimulating the
under-expressed genes (e.g., NSC 1-806) or in suppressing the expression of

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over-expressed genes (e.g., NSC 807-1448) is deemed to have a clinical benefit and can be further tested for its ability to prevent cancer cell growth in animal models or test subjects.

Selecting a therapeutic agent for treating non-small cell lung cancer that is appropriate for
5   *a particular individual*

Differences in the genetic makeup of individuals can result in differences in their relative abilities to metabolize various drugs.   A compound that is metabolized in a subject to act as an anti-non-small cell lung cancer agent can manifest itself by inducing a change in gene expression pattern in the subject's cells from that characteristic of a
10   cancerous state to a gene expression pattern characteristic of a non-cancerous state. Accordingly, the differentially expressed NSC genes disclosed herein allow for selection of a putative therapeutic or prophylactic inhibitor of non-small cell lung cancer specifically adequate for a subject by testing candidate compounds in a test cell (or test cell population) derived from the selected subject.

15   To identify an anti-non-small cell lung cancer agent, that is appropriate for a specific subject, a test cell or test cell population derived from the subject is exposed to a therapeutic agent and the expression of one or more of the NSC 1-1448 genes is determined.

The test cell is or the test cell population contains a non-small cell lung cancer cell
20   expressing a non-small cell lung cancer associated gene.   Preferably, the test cell is or the test cell population contains an epithelial cell.   For example, the test cell or test cell population is incubated in the presence of a candidate agent and the pattern of gene expression of the test cell or cell population is measured and compared to one or more reference profiles, *e.g.,* a non-small cell lung cancer reference expression profile or an
25   non-non-small cell lung cancer reference expression profile.

A decrease in the expression of one or more of NSC 807-1448 or an increase in the expression of one or more of NSC1-806 in a test cell or test cell population relative to a reference cell population containing non-small cell lung cancer is indicative that the agent is therapeutic.

30   The test agent can be any compound or composition.   For example, the test agent is an immunomodulatory agents.

Kit

The invention also provides a kit comprising an NSC-detection reagent, *e.g.,* a
35   nucleic acid that specifically binds to or identifies one or more NSC polynucleotides. Such nucleic acids specifically binding to or identifying one or more of NSC

polynucleotides are exemplified by oligonucleotide sequences that are complementary to a portion of NSC polynucleotidesor antibodies which bind to polypeptides encoded by NSC polynucleotides. The reagents are packaged together in the form of a kit. The reagents, such as a nucleic acid or antibody (either bound to a solid matrix or packaged

5   separately with reagents for binding them to the matrix), a control reagent (positive and/or negative) and/or a means of detection of the nucleic acid or antibody are preferably packaged in separate containers. Instructions (*e.g.*, written, tape, VCR, CD-ROM, etc.) for carrying out the assay may be included in the kit. The assay format of the kit may be Northern hybridization or sandwich ELISA known in the art.

10   For example, an NSC detection reagent is immobilized on a solid matrix such as a porous strip to form at least one NSC detection site. The measurement or detection region of the porous strip may include a plurality of detection sites, each detection site containing an NSC detection reagent. A test strip may also contain sites for negative and/or positive controls. Alternatively, control sites are located on a separate strip from

15   the test strip. Optionally, the different detection sites may contain different amounts of immobilized reagents, *i.e.*, a higher amount in the first detection site and lesser amounts in subsequent sites. Upon the addition of a test biological sample, the number of sites displaying a detectable signal provides a quantitative indication of the amount of NSC present in the sample. The detection sites may be configured in any suitably detectable

20   shape and are typically in the shape of a bar or dot spanning the width of a teststrip.

Alternatively, the kit contains a nucleic acid substrate array comprising one or more NSC polynucleotide sequences. The nucleic acids on the array specifically identify one or more polynucleotide sequences represented by NSC 1-1448. The expression of 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 15, 20, 25, 40 or 50 or more of the genes represented by NSC 1-1448 are

25   identified by virtue of the level of binding to an array test strip or chip. The substrate array can be on, *e.g.*, a solid substrate, *e.g.*, a "chip" as described in U.S. Patent No. 5,744,305.

Array and pluralities

30   The invention also includes a nucleic acid substrate array comprising one or more NSC polynucleotides. The nucleic acids on the array specifically correspond to one or more polynucleotide sequences represented by NSC 1-1448. The level of expression of 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 15, 20, 25, 40 or 50 or more of the genes represented by NSC 1-1448 are identified by detecting nucleic acid binding to the array.

35   The invention also includes an isolated plurality (*i.e.*, a mixture of two or more nucleic acids) of nucleic acids. The nucleic acids are in a liquid phase or a solid phase,

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e.g., immobilized on a solid support such as a nitrocellulose membrane. The plurality includes one or more of the polynucleotides represented by NSC 1-1448. According to a further embodiment of the present invention, the plurality includes 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 15, 20, 25, 40 or 50 or more of the polynucleotides represented by NSC 1-1448.

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Chips

The DNA chip is a device that is convenient to compare the expression levels of a number of genes at the same time. DNA chip-based expression profiling can be carried out, for example, by the method as disclosed in "Microarray Biochip Technology " (Mark

10   Schena, Eaton Publishing, 2000), etc.

A DNA chip comprises immobilized high-density probes to detect a number of genes. Thus, the expression levels of many genes can be estimated at the same time by a single-round analysis. Namely, the expression profile of a specimen can be determined with a DNA chip. The DNA chip-based method of the present invention comprises the

15   following steps of:

(1) synthesizing aRNAs or cDNAs corresponding to the marker genes;

(2) hybridizing the aRNAs or cDNAs with probes for marker genes; and

(3) detecting the aRNA or cDNA hybridizing with the probes and quantifying the amount of mRNA thereof.

20   The aRNA refers to RNA transcribed from a template cDNA with RNA polymerase. An aRNA transcription kit for DNA chip-based expression profiling is commercially available. With such a kit, aRNA can be synthesized from T7 promoter-attached cDNA as a template using T7 RNA polymerase. On the other hand, by PCR using random primer, cDNA can be amplified using as a template a cDNA

25   synthesized from mRNA.

Alternatively, the DNA chip comprises probes, which have been spotted thereon, to detect the marker genes of the present invention. There is no limitation on the number of marker genes spotted on the DNA chip. For example, it is allowed to select 5% or more, preferably 20% or more, more preferably 50% or more, still more preferably 70 % or more

30   of the marker genes of the present invention. Any other genes as well as the marker genes can be spotted on the DNA chip. For example, a probe for a gene whose expression level is hardly altered may be spotted on the DNA chip. Such a gene can be used to normalize assay results when the assay results are intended to be compared between multiple chips or between different assays.

35   A probe is designed for each marker gene selected, and spotted on a DNA chip. Such a probe may be, for example, an oligonucleotide comprising 5-50 nucleotide residues.

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A method for synthesizing such oligonucleotides on a DNA chip is known to those skilled in the art. Longer DNAs can be synthesized by PCR or chemically. A method for spotting long DNA, which is synthesized by PCR or the like, onto a glass slide is also known to those skilled in the art. A DNA chip that is obtained by the method as

5   described above can be used for diagnosing a non-small cell lung cancer according to the present invention.

The prepared DNA chip is contacted with aRNA, followed by the detection of hybridization between the probe and aRNA. The aRNA can be previously labeled with a fluorescent dye. A fluorescent dye such as Cy3(red) and Cy5 (green) can be used to label

10   an aRNA. aRNAs from a subject and a control are labeled with different fluorescent dyes, respectively. The difference in the expression level between the two can be estimated based on a difference in the signal intensity. The signal of fluorescent dye on the DNA chip can be detected by a scanner and analyzed by using a special program. For example, the Suite from Affymetrix is a software package for DNA chip analysis.

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Methods for treating or preventing non-small cell lung cancer

The present invention provides a method for treating, alleviating or preventing a non-small cell lung cancer in a subject. Therapeutic compounds are administered prophylactically or therapeutically to subjects suffering from or at risk of (or susceptible

20   to) developing non-small cell lung cancer. Such subjects are identified using standard clinical methods or by detecting an aberrant level of expression or activity of NSC 1-1448. Prophylactic administration occurs prior to the manifestation of overt clinical symptoms of disease, such that a disease or disorder is prevented or alternatively delayed in its progression.

25   The therapeutic method includes increasing the expression or function, or both of one or more gene products of genes whose expression is decreased ("under-expressed genes") in a non-small cell lung cancer cell relative to normal cells of the same tissue type from which the non-small cell lung cancer cells are derived. In these methods, the subject is treated with an effective amount of a compound, which increases the amount of one of

30   more of the under-expressed genes (NSC 1-806) in the subject. Administration can be systemic or local. Therapeutic compounds include a polypeptide product of an under-expressed gene, or a biologically active fragment thereof, a nucleic acid encoding an under-expressed gene downstream of expression control elements permitting expression I of the gene in the non-small cell lung cancer cells, and compounds that increase the

35   expression level of such gene endogenously existing in the non-small cell lung cancer cells (*i.e.*, compounds that up-regulate the expression of the under-expressed gene(s)).

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Administration of such therapeutic compounds counter the effects of aberrantly-under expressed gene(s) in the subjects' lung cells and improves the clinical condition of the subject.   Such compounds can be obtained by the screening method of the present invention described above.

5   The method also includes decreasing the expression or function, or both, of one or more gene products of genes whose expression is aberrantly increased ("over-expressed gene") in a non-small cell lung cancer cell relative to normal cells of the same tissue type from which the non-small cell lung cancer cells are derived.   The expression may be inhibited by any method known in the art.   For example, a subject may be treated with an

10   effective amount of a compound that decreases the amount of one or more of the over-expressed genes (NSC 807-1448) in the subject.   Administration of the compound can be systemic or local.   Such therapeutic compounds include compounds that decrease the expression level of such gene that endogenously exists in the non-small cell lung cancer cells (*i.e.*, compounds that down-regulate the expression of the over-expressed

15   gene(s)).   The administration of such therapeutic compounds counter the effects of aberrantly-over expressed gene(s) in the subjects non-small cell lung cancer cells and are expected to improve the clinical condition of the subject.   Such compounds can be obtained by the screening method of the present invention described above.

The compounds that modulate the activity of the protein (NSC 1-1448) that can be

20   used for treating or preventing non-small cell lung cancer of the present invention include besides proteins, naturally-occurring cognate ligand of these proteins, peptides, peptidomimetics and other small molecules.

Alternatively, the expression of the over-expressed gene(s) (NSC 807-1448) can be inhibited by administering to the subject a nucleic acid that inhibits or antagonizes the

25   expression of the over-expressed gene(s).   Antisense oligonucleotide, siRNA or ribozymes which disrupts the expression of the over-expressed gene(s) can be used for inhibiting the expression of the over-expressed gene(s).

As noted above, antisense-oligonucleotides corresponding to any of the nucleotide sequence of NSC 807-1448 can be used to reduce the expression level of the NSC

30   807-1448.   Antisense-oligonucleotides corresponding to NSC 807-1448 that are up-regulated in non-small cell lung cancer are useful for the treatment or prevention of non-small cell lung cancer.   Specifically, the antisense-oligonucleotides of the present invention may act by binding to any of the polypeptides encoded by the NSC 807-1448, or mRNAs corresponding thereto, thereby inhibiting the transcription or translation of the

35   genes, promoting the degradation of the mRNAs, and/or inhibiting the expression of proteins encoded by the NSC nucleotides, and finally inhibiting the function of the proteins.

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The term "antisense-oligonucleotides" as used herein encompasses both nucleotides that are entirely complementary to the target sequence and those having a mismatch of one or more nucleotides, so long as the antisense-oligonucleotides can specifically hybridize to the target sequence.   For example, the antisense-oligonucleotides of the present invention

5   include polynucleotides having the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO: 423, 425, 427, 429, 431, 433, 435, 437, 439, 441, 443, 445, 447, 449, 451, 453, 455, 457, 459, 461, 463, 465, 467, 469, 471, 473, 475, 477, 479, 481, 483, 485, 487, 489, 491, 493, 495, 497, 499, 501, 503, 505, 507, 509, 511, 513, 515, 517, 519, 521, 523, 525, 527, 529, and 531 which all proved to be effective for suppressing focus formation of NSCLC cell lines.   In addition,

10   the antisense-oligonucleotides of the present invention include polynucleotides that have a homology of at least 70% or higher, preferably at 80% or higher, more preferably 90% or higher, even more preferably 95% or higher over a span of at least 15 continuous nucleotides to any of the nucleotide sequence of NSC 807-1448.   Algorithms known in the art can be used to determine the homology.   Furthermore, derivatives or modified

15   products of the antisense-oligonucleotides can also be used as antisense-oligonucleotides in the present invention.   Examples of such modified products include lower alkyl phosphonate modifications such as methyl-phosphonate-type or ethyl-phosphonate-type, phosphorothioate modifications and phosphoroamidate modifications.

The antisense-oligonucleotides and derivatives thereof act on cells producing the

20   proteins encoded by NSC 807-1448 by binding to the DNAs or mRNAs encoding the proteins, inhibiting their transcription or translation, promoting the degradation of the mRNAs and inhibiting the expression of the proteins, thereby resulting in the inhibition of the protein function.

An antisense-oligonucleotides and derivatives thereof can be made into an external

25   preparation, such as a liniment or a poultice, by mixing with a suitable base material which is inactive against the derivative.

The antisense-oligonucleotides of the invention inhibit the expression of at least one NSC protein encoded by any one of NSC 807-1448, and thus is useful for suppressing the biological activity of the protein.

30   The polynucleotides that inhibit one or more gene products of over-expressed genes also include small interfering RNAs (siRNA) comprising a combination of a sense strand nucleic acid and an antisense strand nucleic acid of the nucleotide sequence encoding an over-expressed NSC protein, such as NSC 807-1448.   The term "siRNA" refers to a double stranded RNA molecule which prevents translation of a target mRNA.   Standard

35   techniques of introducing siRNA into the cell can be used in the treatment or prevention of the present invention, including those in which DNA is a template from which RNA is

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transcribed.   The siRNA is constructed such that a single transcript has both the sense and complementary antisense sequences from the target gene, *e.g.*, a hairpin.

The method is used to suppress gene expression of a cell with up-regulated expression of an NSC gene.   Binding of the siRNA to the NSC gene transcript in the target cell results in a reduction of NSC protein production by the cell.   The length of the oligonucleotide is at least 10 nucleotides and may be as long as the naturally occurring transcript.   Preferably, the oligonucleotide is 19-25 nucleotides in length.   Most preferably, the oligonucleotide is less than 75, 50 or 25 nucleotides in length.   Preferable siRNA of the present invention include the polynucleotides having the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO: 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, and 552 as the target sequence, which all proved to be effective for suppressing cell viability of NSCLC cell lines.

Furthermore, the nucleotide sequence of siRNAs may be designed using a siRNA design computer program available from the Ambion website (http://www.ambion.com/techlib/misc/siRNA_finder.html).   The nucleotide sequences for the siRNA are selected by the computer program based on the following protocol:

Selection of siRNA Target Sites:

1.   Beginning with the AUG start codon of the transcript, scan downstream for AA dinucleotide sequences.   Record the occurrence of each AA and the 3' adjacent 19 nucleotides as potential siRNA target sites.   Tuschl, et al. recommend not to design siRNA against the 5' and 3' untranslated regions (UTRs) and regions near the start codon (within 75 bases) as these may be richer in regulatory protein binding sites, and thus the complex of endonuclease and siRNAs that were designed against these regions may interfere with the binding of UTR-binding proteins and/or translation initiation complexes.

2.   Compare the potential target sites to the human genome database and eliminate from consideration any target sequences with significant homology to other coding sequences.   The homology search can be performed using BLAST, which can be found on the NCBI server at: www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/BLAST/

3.   Select qualifying target sequences for synthesis.   On the website of Ambion, several preferable target sequences can be selected along the length of the gene for evaluation.

The siRNAs inhibit the expression of over-expressed NSC protein and is thereby useful for suppressing the biological activity of the protein.   Therefore, a composition comprising the siRNA is useful in treating or preventing non-small cell lung cancer.

The nucleic acids that inhibit one or more gene products of over-expressed genes

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also include ribozymes against the over-expressed gene(s) (NSC 807-1448).

     The ribozymes inhibit the expression of over-expressed NSC protein and is thereby useful for suppressing the biological activity of the protein.   Therefore, a composition comprising the ribozyme is useful in treating or preventing non-small cell lung cancer.

5   Generally, ribozymes are classified into large ribozymes and small ribozymes.   A large ribozyme is known as an enzyme that cleaves the phosphate ester bond of nucleic acids.   After the reaction with the large ribozyme, the reacted site consists of a 5'-phosphate and 3'-hydroxyl group.   The large ribozyme is further classified into (1) group I intron RNA catalyzing transesterification at the 5'-splice site by guanosine; (2)

10 group II intron RNA catalyzing self-splicing through a two step reaction via lariat structure; and (3) RNA component of the ribonuclease P that cleaves the tRNA precursor at the 5' site through hydrolysis.   On the other hand, small ribozymes have a smaller size (about 40 bp) compared to the large ribozymes and cleave RNAs to generate a 5'-hydroxyl group and a 2'-3' cyclic phosphate.   Hammerhead type ribozymes (Koizumi et al. (1988)

15 FEBS Lett. 228: 225) and hairpin type ribozymes (Buzayan (1986) Nature 323: 349; Kikuchi and Sasaki (1992) Nucleic Acids Res. 19: 6751) are included in the small ribozymes.   Methods for designing and constructing ribozymes are known in the art (see Koizumi et al. (1988) FEBS Lett. 228: 225; Koizumi et al. (1989) Nucleic Acids Res. 17: 7059; Kikuchi and Sasaki (1992) Nucleic Acids Res. 19: 6751) and ribozymes inhibiting

20 the expression of an over-expressed NSC protein can be constructed based on the sequence information of the nucleotide sequence encoding the NSC protein according to conventional methods for producing ribozymes.

     The ribozymes inhibit the expression of over-expressed NSC protein and is thereby useful for suppressing the biological activity of the protein.   Therefore, a composition

25 comprising the ribozyme is useful in treating or preventing non-small cell lung cancer.

     Alternatively, the function of one or more gene products of the over-expressed genes is inhibited by administering a compound that binds to or otherwise inhibits the function of the gene products.   For example, the compound is an antibody which binds to the over-expressed gene product or gene products.

30   The present invention refers to the use of antibodies, particularly antibodies against a protein encoded by an up-regulated gene, or a fragment of the antibody.   As used herein, the term "antibody" refers to an immunoglobulin molecule having a specific structure that interacts (binds) specifically with a molecule comprising the antigen used for synthesizing the antibody (i.e., the up-regulated gene product) or with an antigen closely related to it.

35 An antibody that binds to the over-expressed NSC nucleotide may be in any form, such as monoclonal or polyclonal antibodies, and includes antiserum obtained by immunizing an

animal such as a rabbit with the polypeptide, all classes of polyclonal and monoclonal antibodies, human antibodies and humanized antibodies produced by genetic recombination.

Furthermore, the antibody used in the method of treating or preventing non-small cell lung cancer of the present invention may be a fragment of an antibody or a modified antibody, so long as it binds to one or more of the proteins encoded by the marker genes. For instance, the antibody fragment may be Fab, F(ab')2, Fv or single chain Fv (scFv), in which Fv fragments from H and L chains are ligated by an appropriate linker (Huston et al. (1988) Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA 85: 5879-83). More specifically, an antibody fragment may be generated by treating an antibody with an enzyme, such as papain or pepsin. Alternatively, a gene encoding the antibody fragment may be constructed, inserted into an expression vector, and expressed in an appropriate host cell (see, for example, Co et al. (1994) J. Immunol. 152: 2968-76; Better M. and Horwitz (1989) Methods Enzymol. 178:476-96; Pluckthun and Skerra (1989) Methods Enzymol. 178: 497-515; Lamoyi (1986) Methods Enzymol. 121: 652-63; Rousseaux et al. (1986) Methods Enzymol. 121:663-9; Bird and Walker (1991) Trends Biotechnol. 9: 132-7).

An antibody may be modified by conjugation with a variety of molecules, such as polyethylene glycol (PEG). The modified antibody can be obtained by chemically modifying an antibody. These modification methods are conventional in the field.

Alternatively, an antibody may be obtained as a chimeric antibody, between a variable region derived from nonhuman antibody and the constant region derived from human antibody, or as a humanized antibody, comprising the complementarity determining region (CDR) derived from nonhuman antibody, the frame work region (FR) derived from human antibody, and the constant region. Such antibodies can be prepared using known technology.

The present invention provides a method for treating or preventing non-small cell lung cancer, using an antibody against an over-expressed NSC polypeptide. According to the method, a pharmaceutically effective amount of an antibody against the NSC polypeptide is administered. An antibody against an over-expressed NSC polypeptide is administered at a dosage sufficient to reduce the activity of the NSC protein. Alternatively, an antibody binding to a cell surface marker specific for tumor cells can be used as a tool for drug delivery. Thus, for example, an antibody against an over-expressed NSC polypeptide conjugated with a cytotoxic agent may be administered at a dosage sufficient to injure tumor cells.

The present invention also relates to a method of treating or preventing non-small cell lung cancer in a subject comprising administering to said subject a vaccine comprising

a polypeptide encoded by a nucleic acid selected from the group consisting of NSC
807-1448 or an immunologically active fragment of said polypeptide, or a polynucleotide
encoding the polypeptide or the fragment thereof.   Administration of the polypeptide
induces an anti-tumor immunity in a subject.   Thus, the present invention further provides

5   a method for inducing anti tumor immunity.   The polypeptide or the immunologically
active fragments thereof are useful as vaccines against non-small cell lung cancer.   In
some cases the proteins or fragments thereof may be administered in a form bound to the T
cell receptor (TCR) or presented on an antigen presenting cell (APC), such as macrophage,
dendritic cell (DC) or B-cells.   Due to the strong antigen presenting ability of DC, the use

10   of DC is most preferable among the APCs.

In the present invention, the phrase "vaccine against non-small cell lung cancer"
refers to a substance that has the function to induce anti-tumor immunity or immunity to
suppress non-small cell lung cancer upon inoculation into animals.   In general, anti-tumor
immunity includes immune responses such as follows:

15 .   -   induction of cytotoxic lymphocytes against tumors,
                   -    induction of antibodies that recognize tumors, and
                   -    induction of anti-tumor cytokine production.

Therefore, when a certain protein induces any one of these immune responses upon
inoculation into an animal, the protein is decided to have anti-tumor immunity inducing

20   effect.   The induction of the anti-tumor immunity by a protein can be detected by
observing *in vivo* or *in vitro* the response of the immune system in the host against the
protein.

For example, a method for detecting the induction of cytotoxic T lymphocytes is
well known.   A foreign substance that enters the living body is presented to T cells and B

25   cells by the action of antigen presenting cells (APCs).   T cells that respond to the antigen
presented by APC in antigen specific manner differentiate into cytotoxic T cells (or
cytotoxic T lymphocytes; CTLs) due to stimulation by the antigen, and then proliferate
(this is referred to as activation of T cells).   Therefore, CTL induction by a certain peptide
can be evaluated by presenting the peptide to T cell by APC, and detecting the induction of

30   CTL.   Furthermore, APC has the effect of activating CD4+ T cells, CD8+ T cells,
macrophages, eosinophils and NK cells.   Since CD4+ T cells are also important in
anti-tumor immunity, the anti-tumor immunity inducing action of the peptide can be
evaluated using the activation effect of these cells as indicators.

A method for evaluating the inducing action of CTL using dendritic cells (DCs) as

35   APC is well known in the art.   DC is a representative APC having the strongest CTL
inducing action among APCs.   In this method, the test polypeptide is initially contacted

with DC and then this DC is contacted with T cells.   Detection of T cells having cytotoxic effects against the cells of interest after the contact with DC shows that the test polypeptide has an activity of inducing the cytotoxic T cells.   Activity of CTL against tumors can be detected, for example, using the lysis of ^{51}Cr-labeled tumor cells as the indicator.

5   Alternatively, the method of evaluating the degree of tumor cell damage using ^{3}H-thymidine uptake activity or LDH (lactose dehydrogenase)-release as the indicator is also well known.

Apart from DC, peripheral blood mononuclear cells (PBMCs) may also be used as the APC.   The induction of CTL is reported to be enhanced by culturing PBMC in the presence of GM-CSF and IL-4.   Similarly, CTL has been shown to be induced by culturing PBMC in the presence of keyhole limpet hemocyanin (KLH) and IL-7.

The test polypeptides confirmed to possess CTL inducing activity by these methods are polypeptides having DC activation effect and subsequent CTL inducing activity. Therefore, polypeptides that induce CTL against tumor cells are useful as vaccines against

15   non-small cell lung cancer.   Furthermore, APC that acquired the ability to induce CTL against non-small cell lung cancer by contacting with the polypeptides are useful as vaccines against non-small cell lung cancer.   Furthermore, CTL that acquired cytotoxicity due to presentation of the polypeptide antigens by APC can be also used as vaccines against non-small cell lung cancer.   Such therapeutic methods for non-small cell lung

20   cancer using anti-tumor immunity due to APC and CTL are referred to as cellular immunotherapy.

Generally, when using a polypeptide for cellular immunotherapy, efficiency of the CTL-induction is known to increase by combining a plurality of polypeptides having different structures and contacting them with DC.   Therefore, when stimulating DC with

25   protein fragments, it is advantageous to use a mixture of multiple types of fragments.

Alternatively, the induction of anti-tumor immunity by a polypeptide can be confirmed by observing the induction of antibody production against tumors.   For example, when antibodies against a polypeptide are induced in a laboratory animal immunized with the polypeptide, and when growth, proliferation or metastasis of tumor

30   cells is suppressed by those antibodies, the polypeptide can be determined to have an ability to induce anti-tumor immunity.

Anti-tumor immunity is induced by administering the vaccine of this invention, and the induction of anti-tumor immunity enables treatment and prevention of non-small cell lung cancer.   Therapy against or prevention of the onset of non-small cell lung cancer

35   includes any of the steps, such as inhibition of the growth of NSCLC cells, involution of NSCLC cells and suppression of occurrence of NSCLC cells.   Decrease in mortality of

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individuals having non-small cell lung cancer, decrease of NSC markers in the blood, alleviation of detectable symptoms accompanying non-small cell lung cancer and such are also included in the therapy or prevention of non-small cell lung cancer.   Such therapeutic and preventive effects are preferably statistically significant.   For example, in observation,

5   at a significance level of 5% or less, wherein the therapeutic or preventive effect of a vaccine against non-small cell lung cancer is compared to a control without vaccine administration.   For example, Student's t-test, the Mann-Whitney U-test or ANOVA may be used for statistical analyses.

The above-mentioned protein having immunological activity, or a polynucleotide

10   or vector encoding the protein may be combined with an adjuvant.   An adjuvant refers to a compound that enhances the immune response against the protein when administered together (or successively) with the protein having immunological activity.   Examples of adjuvants include cholera toxin, salmonella toxin, alum and such, but are not limited thereto.   Furthermore, the vaccine of this invention may be combined appropriately with a

15   pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.   Examples of such carriers are sterilized water, physiological saline, phosphate buffer, culture fluid and such.   Furthermore, the vaccine may contain as necessary, stabilizers, suspensions, preservatives, surfactants and such. The vaccine is administered systemically or locally.   Vaccine administration may be performed by single administration or boosted by multiple administrations.

20   When using APC or CTL as the vaccine of this invention, non-small cell lung cancer can be treated or prevented, for example, by the *ex vivo* method.   More specifically, PBMCs of the subject receiving treatment or prevention are collected, the cells are contacted with the polypeptide *ex vivo*, and following the induction of APC or CTL, the cells may be administered to the subject.   APC can be also induced by introducing a

25   vector encoding the polypeptide into PBMCs *ex vivo*.   APC or CTL induced *in vitro* can be cloned prior to administration.   By cloning and growing cells having high activity of damaging target cells, cellular immunotherapy can be performed more effectively. Furthermore, APC and CTL isolated in this manner may be used for cellular immunotherapy not only against individuals from whom the cells are derived, but also

30   against similar types of diseases in other individuals.

Pharmaceutical compositions for treating or preventing non-small cell lung cancer

The present invention provides compositions for treating or preventing non-small cell lung cancer comprising a compound selected by the present method of screening for a

35   compound that alters the expression or activity of a non-small cell lung cancer-associated gene.

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When administering a compound isolated by the screening method of the present
invention as a pharmaceutical for humans and other mammals, such as mice, rats,
guinea-pig, rabbits, cats, dogs, sheep, pigs, cattle, monkeys, baboons or chimpanzees for
treating a cell proliferative disease (e.g., non-small cell lung cancer), the isolated compoud
5   can be directly administered or can be formulated into a dosage form using conventional
pharmaceutical preparation methods.   Such pharmaceutical formulations of the present
compositions include those suitable for oral, rectal, nasal, topical (including buccal and
sub-lingual), vaginal or parenteral (including intramuscular, sub-cutaneous and
intravenous) administration, or for administration by inhalation or insufflation.   The
10   formulations are optionally packaged in discrete dosage units.

        Pharmaceutical formulations suitable for oral administration include capsules,
cachets or tablets, each containing a predetermined amount of the active ingredient.
Formulations also include powders, granules, solutions, suspensions or emulsions. The
active ingredient is optionally administered as a bolus electuary or paste.   Tablets and
15   capsules for oral administration may contain conventional excipients such as binding
agents, fillers, lubricants, disintegrant or wetting agents.   A tablet may be made by
compression or molding, optionally with one or more formulational ingredients.
Compressed tablets may be prepared by compressing in a suitable machine the active
ingredients in a free-flowing form such as a powder or granules, optionally mixed with a
20   binder, lubricant, inert diluent, lubricating, surface active or dispersing agent.   Molded
tablets may be made via molding in a suitable machine a mixture of the powdered
compound moistened with an inert liquid diluent.   The tablets may be coated according to
methods well known in the art.   Oral fluid preparations may be in the form of, for
example, aqueous or oily suspensions, solutions, emulsions, syrups or elixirs, or may be
25   presented as a dry product for reconstitution with water or other suitable vehicle prior to
use.   Such liquid preparations may contain conventional additives such as suspending
agents, emulsifying agents, non-aqueous vehicles (which may include edible oils) or
preservatives.   The tablets may optionally be formulated so as to provide slow or
controlled release of the active ingredient *in vivo*.   A package of tablets may contain one
30   tablet to be taken on each of the month.   The formulation or dose of medicament in these
preparations makes a suitable dosage within the indicated range acquirable.

        Formulations for parenteral administration include aqueous and non-aqueous sterile
injection solutions which may contain anti-oxidants, buffers, bacteriostats and solutes
which render the formulation isotonic with the blood of the intended recipient; and
35   aqueous and non-aqueous sterile suspensions which may include suspending agents and
thickening agents.   The formulations may be presented in unit dose or multi-dose

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containers, for example sealed ampoules and vials, and may be stored in a freeze-dried
(lyophilized) condition requiring only the addition of the sterile liquid carrier, for example,
saline, water-for-injection, immediately prior to use.   Alternatively, the formulations may
be presented for continuous infusion. Extemporaneous injection solutions and suspensions
5   may be prepared from sterile powders, granules and tablets of the kind previously
described.

Formulations for rectal administration include suppositories with standard carriers
such as cocoa butter or polyethylene glycol.   Formulations for topical administration in
the mouth, for example, buccally or sublingually, include lozenges, which contain the
10   active ingredient in a flavored base such as sucrose and acacia or tragacanth, and pastilles
comprising the active ingredient in a base such as gelatin, glycerin, sucrose or acacia.   For
intra-nasal administration of an active ingredient, a liquid spray or dispersible powder or in
the form of drops may be used.   Drops may be formulated with an aqueous or
non-aqueous base also comprising one or more dispersing agents, solubilizing agents or
15   suspending agents.

For administration by inhalation the compositions are conveniently delivered from
an insufflator, nebulizer, pressurized packs or other convenient means of delivering an
aerosol spray.   Pressurized packs may comprise a suitable propellant such as
dichlorodifluoromethane, trichlorofluoromethane, dichiorotetrafluoroethane, carbon
20   dioxide or other suitable gas.   In the case of a pressurized aerosol, the dosage unit may be
determined by providing a valve to deliver a metered amount.

Alternatively, for administration by inhalation or insufflation, the compositions
may take the form of a dry powder composition, for example, a powder mix of an active
ingredient and a suitable powder base such as lactose or starch.   The powder composition
25   may be presented in unit dosage form in, for example, capsules, cartridges, gelatin or
blister packs from which the powder may be administered with the aid of an inhalator or
insufflators.

Other formulations include implantable devices and adhesive patches; which
release a therapeutic agent.
30   When desired, the above described formulations, adapted to give sustained release
of the active ingredient, may be employed.   The pharmaceutical compositions may also
contain other active ingredients such as antimicrobial agents, immunosuppressants or
preservatives.

It should be understood that in addition to the ingredients particularly mentioned
35   above, the formulations of this invention may include other agents conventional in the art
having regard to the type of formulation in question, for example, those suitable for oral

administration may include flavoring agents.

Preferred unit dosage formulations are those containing an effective dose, as recited below, of the active ingredient or an appropriate fraction thereof.

For each of the aforementioned conditions, the compositions, e.g., polypeptides and organic compounds are administered orally or via injection at a dose of from about 0.1 to about 250 mg/kg per day. The dose range for adult humans is generally from about 5 mg to about 17.5 g/day, preferably about 5 mg to about 10 g/day, and most preferably about 100 mg to about 3 g/day. Tablets or other unit dosage forms of presentation provided in discrete units may conveniently contain an amount which is effective at such dosage or as a multiple of the same, for instance, units containing about 5 mg to about 500 mg, usually from about 100 mg to about 500 mg.

The dose employed will depend upon a number of factors, including the age and sex of the subject, the precise disorder being treated, and its severity. Also the route of administration may vary depending upon the condition and its severity.

The present invention further provides a composition for treating or preventing non-small cell lung cancer comprising active ingredient that inhibits the expression of any one of the gene selected from the group of NSC 807-1448. Such active ingredient can be an antisense-oligonucleotide, siRNA or ribozyme against the gene, or derivatives, such as expression vector, of the antisense-oligonucleotide, siRNA or ribozyme. The active ingredient may be made into an external preparation, such as liniment or a poultice, by mixing with a suitable base material which is inactive against the derivatives.

Also, as needed, the active ingredient can be formulated into tablets, powders, granules, capsules, liposome capsules, injections, solutions, nose-drops and freeze-drying agents by adding excipients, isotonic agents, solubilizers, preservatives, pain-killers and such. These can be prepared according to conventional methods for preparing nucleic acid containing pharmaceuticals.

Preferably, the antisense-oligonucleotide derivative, siRNA derivative or ribozyme derivative is given to the patient by direct application to the ailing site or by injection into a blood vessel so that it will reach the site of ailment. A mounting medium can also be used in the composition to increase durability and membrane-permiability. Examples of mounting mediums include liposome, poly-L-lysine, lipid, cholesterol, lipofectin and derivatives thereof.

The dosage of such compositions can be adjusted suitably according to the patient's condition and used in desired amounts. For example, a dose range of 0.1 to 100 mg/kg, preferably 0.1 to 50 mg/kg can be administered.

Another embodiment of the present invention is a composition for treating or

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preventing non-small cell lung cancer comprising an antibody against a polypeptide encoded by any one of the genes selected from the group of NSC 807-1448 or fragments of the antibody that bind to the polypeptide.

Although there are some differences according to the symptoms, the dose of an
5   antibody or fragments thereof for treating or preventing non-small cell lung cancer is about 0.1 mg to about 100 mg per day, preferably about 1.0 mg to about 50 mg per day and more preferably about 1.0 mg to about 20 mg per day, when administered orally to a normal adult (weight 60 kg).

When administering parenterally, in the form of an injection to a normal adult
10   (weight 60 kg), although there are some differences according to the condition of the patient, symptoms of the disease and method of administration, it is convenient to intravenously inject a dose of about 0.01 mg to about 30 mg per day, preferably about 0.1 to about 20 mg per day and more preferably about 0.1 to about 10 mg per day.   Also, in the case of other animals too, it is possible to administer an amount converted to 60 kg of
15   body-weight.

Polypeptides

According to the present invention, novel human genes *URLC 1* (NSC 905) whose expressions are markedly elevated in non-small cell lung cancer compared to
20   corresponding non-cancerous tissues are provided.

URLC 1 (NSC 905) encodes a TUDOR domain.   The TUDOR domain is suggested to have the function of RNA binding and nucleic acid binding.   The nucleotide sequence of this gene is shown in SEQ ID NO: 1 and the amino acid sequence encoded by the gene is shown in SEQ ID NO: 2.
25   These genes are suggested to render oncogenic activities to cancer cells, and that inhibition of the activity of these proteins could be a promising strategy for the treatment of cancer, specifically non-small cell lung cancer.

The present invention encompasses novel human genes including a nucleotide sequence selected from SEQ ID NO: 1, as well as degenerates and mutants thereof, to the
30   extent that they encode a NSC protein, including the amino acid sequence set forth in SEQ ID NO: 2, or functional equivalents thereof.   Hereinafter, the polypeptides encoded by these genes are collectively referred to as NSC protein(s).   Examples of polypeptides functionally equivalent to NSC proteins include, for example, homologous proteins of other organisms corresponding to the human NSC protein, as well as mutants of human
35   NSC proteins.

In the present invention, the term "functionally equivalent" means that the subject

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polypeptide has the activity to promote cell proliferation like any of the NSC proteins and to confer oncogenic activity to cancer cells. Whether the subject polypeptide has a cell proliferation activity or not can be judged by introducing the DNA encoding the subject polypeptide into a cell expressing the respective polypeptide, and detecting promotion of

5 proliferation of the cells or increase in colony forming activity.

Methods for preparing polypeptides functionally equivalent to a given protein are well known by a person skilled in the art and include known methods of introducing mutations into the protein. For example, one skilled in the art can prepare polypeptides functionally equivalent to the human NSC protein by introducing an appropriate mutation

10 in the amino acid sequence of either of these proteins by site-directed mutagenesis (Hashimoto-Gotoh et al., Gene 152:271-5 (1995); Zoller and Smith, Methods Enzymol 100: 468-500 (1983); Kramer et al., Nucleic Acids Res. 12:9441-9456 (1984); Kramer and Fritz, Methods Enzymol 154: 350-67 (1987); Kunkel, Proc Natl Acad Sci USA 82: 488-92 (1985); Kunkel, Methods Enzymol 85: 2763-6 (1988)). Amino acid mutations can occur

15 in nature, too. The polypeptide of the present invention includes those proteins having the amino acid sequences of the human NSC protein in which one or more amino acids are mutated, provided the resulting mutated polypeptides are functionally equivalent to the human NSC protein. The number of amino acids to be mutated in such a mutant is generally 10 amino acids or less, preferably 6 amino acids or less, and more preferably 3

20 amino acids or less.

Mutated or modified proteins, proteins having amino acid sequences modified by substituting, deleting, inserting, and/or adding one or more amino acid residues of a certain amino acid sequence, have been known to retain the original biological activity (Mark et al., Proc Natl Acad Sci USA 81: 5662-6 (1984); Zoller and Smith, Nucleic Acids Res

25 10:6487-500 (1982); Dalbadie-McFarland et al., Proc Natl Acad Sci USA 79: 6409-13 (1982)).

The amino acid residue to be mutated is preferably mutated into a different amino acid in which the properties of the amino acid side-chain are conserved (a process known as conservative amino acid substitution). Examples of properties of amino acid side

30 chains are hydrophobic amino acids (A, I, L, M, F, P, W, Y, V), hydrophilic amino acids (R, D, N, C, E, Q, G, H, K, S, T), and side chains having the following functional groups or characteristics in common: an aliphatic side-chain (G, A, V, L, I, P); a hydroxyl group containing side-chain (S, T, Y); a sulfur atom containing side-chain (C, M); a carboxylic acid and amide containing side-chain (D, N, E, Q); a base containing side-chain (R, K, H);

35 and an aromatic containing side-chain (H, F, Y, W). Note, the parenthetic letters indicate the one-letter codes of amino acids.

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An example of a polypeptide to which one or more amino acids residues are added to the amino acid sequence of human NSC protein is a fusion protein containing the human NSC protein.   Fusion proteins are, fusions of the human NSC protein and other peptides or proteins, and are included in the present invention.   Fusion proteins can be made by

5   techniques well known to a person skilled in the art, such as by linking the DNA encoding the human NSC protein of the invention with DNA encoding other peptides or proteins, so that the frames match, inserting the fusion DNA into an expression vector and expressing it in a host.   There is no restriction as to the peptides or proteins fused to the protein of the present invention.

10   Known peptides that can be used as peptides that are fused to the NSC protein of the present invention include, for example, FLAG (Hopp et al., Biotechnology 6: 1204-10 (1988)), 6xHis containing six His (histidine) residues, 10xHis, Influenza agglutinin (HA), human c-myc fragment, VSP-GP fragment, p18HIV fragment, T7-tag, HSV-tag, E-tag, SV40T antigen fragment, lck tag, α-tubulin fragment, B-tag, Protein C fragment, and the

15   like.   Examples of proteins that may be fused to a protein of the invention include GST (glutathione-S-transferase), Influenza agglutinin (HA), immunoglobulin constant region, β-galactosidase, MBP (maltose-binding protein), and such.

Fusion proteins can be prepared by fusing commercially available DNA, encoding the fusion peptides or proteins discussed above, with the DNA encoding the NSC

20   polypeptide of the present invention and expressing the fused DNA prepared.

An alternative method known in the art to isolate functionally equivalent polypeptides is, for example, the method using a hybridization technique (Sambrook et al., Molecular Cloning 2nd ed. 9.47-9.58, Cold Spring Harbor Lab. Press (1989)).   One skilled in the art can readily isolate a DNA having high homology with NSC protein (*i.e.*,

25   SEQ ID NO: 1), and isolate functionally equivalent polypeptides to the human NSC protein from the isolated DNA.   The NSC proteins of the present invention include those that are encoded by DNA that hybridize with a whole or part of the DNA sequence encoding the human NSC protein and are functionally equivalent to the human NSC protein.   These polypeptides include mammal homologues corresponding to the protein

30   derived from human (for example, a polypeptide encoded by a monkey, rat, rabbit and bovine gene).   In isolating a cDNA highly homologous to the DNA encoding the human NSC protein from animals, it is particularly preferable to use lung cancer tissues.

The condition of hybridization for isolating a DNA encoding a polypeptide functionally equivalent to the human NSC protein can be routinely selected by a person

35   skilled in the art.   For example, hybridization may be performed by conducting prehybridization at 68°C for 30 min or longer using "Rapid-hyb buffer" (Amersham LIFE

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following washing step can be conducted, for example, in a low stringent condition.   A
low stringent condition is, for example, 42°C, 2X SSC, 0.1% SDS, or preferably 50°C, 2X
SSC, 0.1% SDS.   More preferably, high stringent conditions are used.   A high stringent
condition is, for example, washing 3 times in 2X SSC, 0.01% SDS at room temperature for
20 min, then washing 3 times in 1x SSC, 0.1% SDS at 37°C for 20 min, and washing twice
in 1x SSC, 0.1% SDS at 50°C for 20 min.   However, several factors, such as temperature
and salt concentration, can influence the stringency of hybridization and one skilled in the
art can suitably select the factors to achieve the requisite stringency.

In place of hybridization, a gene amplification method, for example, the
polymerase chain reaction (PCR) method, can be utilized to isolate a DNA encoding a
polypeptide functionally equivalent to the NSC protein, using a primer synthesized based
on the sequence information of the protein encoding DNA (SEQ ID NO: 1).

Polypeptides that are functionally equivalent to the human NSC protein encoded by
the DNA isolated through the above hybridization techniques or gene amplification
techniques, normally have a high homology to the amino acid sequence of the human NSC
protein.   "High homology" typically refers to a homology of 40% or higher, preferably
60% or higher, more preferably 80% or higher, even more preferably 95% or higher.   The
homology of a polypeptide can be determined by following the algorithm in "Wilbur and
Lipman, Proc Natl Acad Sci USA 80: 726-30 (1983)".

A polypeptide of the present invention may have variations in amino acid sequence,
molecular weight, isoelectric point, the presence or absence of sugar chains, or form,
depending on the cell or host used to produce it or the purification method utilized.
Nevertheless, so long as it has a function equivalent to that of the human NSC protein of
the present invention, it is within the scope of the present invention.

The polypeptides of the present invention can be prepared as recombinant proteins
or natural proteins, by methods well known to those skilled in the art.   A recombinant
protein can be prepared by inserting a DNA, which encodes the polypeptide of the present
invention (for example, the DNA comprising the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO: 1),
into an appropriate expression vector, introducing the vector into an appropriate host cell,
obtaining the extract, and purifying the polypeptide by subjecting the extract to
chromatography, for example, ion exchange chromatography, reverse phase
chromatography, gel filtration, or affinity chromatography utilizing a column to which
antibodies against the protein of the present invention is fixed, or by combining more than
one of aforementioned columns.

Also when the polypeptide of the present invention is expressed within host cells

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(for example, animal cells and *E. coli*) as a fusion protein with glutathione-S-transferase protein or as a recombinant protein supplemented with multiple histidines, the expressed recombinant protein can be purified using a glutathione column or nickel column. Alternatively, when the polypeptide of the present invention is expressed as a protein

5   tagged with c-myc, multiple histidines, or FLAG, it can be detected and purified using antibodies to c-myc, His, or FLAG, respectively.

       After purifying the fusion protein, it is also possible to exclude regions other than the objective polypeptide by cutting with thrombin or factor-Xa as required.

       A natural protein can be isolated by methods known to a person skilled in the art,

10   for example, by contacting the affinity column, in which antibodies binding to the NSC protein described below are bound, with the extract of tissues or cells expressing the polypeptide of the present invention.   The antibodies can be polyclonal antibodies or monoclonal antibodies.

       The present invention also encompasses partial peptides of the NSC protein of the

15   present invention.   The partial peptide has an amino acid sequence specific to the polypeptide of the present invention and consists of at least 7 amino acids, preferably 8 amino acids or more, and more preferably 9 amino acids or more.   The partial peptide can be used, for example, for preparing antibodies against the NSC protein of the present invention, screening for a compound that binds to the NSC protein of the present invention,

20   and screening for accelerators or inhibitors of the NSC protein of the present invention.

       A partial peptide of the invention can be produced by genetic engineering, by known methods of peptide synthesis, or by digesting the polypeptide of the invention with an appropriate peptidase.   For peptide synthesis, for example, solid phase synthesis or liquid phase synthesis may be used.

25   Furthermore, the present invention provides polynucleotides encoding the NSC protein of the present invention.   The NSC protein of the present invention can be used for the *in vivo* or *in vitro* production of the NSC protein of the present invention as described above, or can be applied to gene therapy for diseases attributed to genetic abnormality in the gene encoding the protein of the present invention.   Any form of the

30   polynucleotide of the present invention can be used so long as it encodes the NSC protein of the present invention or equivalents thereof, including mRNA, RNA, cDNA, genomic DNA, chemically synthesized polynucleotides.   The polynucleotide of the present invention include a DNA comprising a given nucleotide sequences as well as its degenerate sequences, so long as the resulting DNA encodes the NSC protein of the

35   present invention or equivalents thereof.

       The polynucleotide of the present invention can be prepared by methods known to

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a person skilled in the art. For example, the polynucleotide of the present invention can
be prepared by: preparing a cDNA library from cells which express the NSC protein of the
present invention, and conducting hybridization using a partial sequence of the DNA of the
present invention (for example, SEQ ID NO: 1) as a probe. A cDNA library can be
5   prepared, for example, by the method described in Sambrook et al., Molecular Cloning,
Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory Press (1989); alternatively, commercially available cDNA
libraries may be used. A cDNA library can be also prepared by: extracting RNAs from
cells expressing the NSC protein of the present invention, synthesizing oligo DNAs based
on the sequence of the DNA of the present invention (for example, SEQ ID NO: 1),
10   conducting PCR using the oligo DNAs as primers, and amplifying cDNAs encoding the
NSC protein of the present invention.

     In addition, by sequencing the nucleotides of the obtained cDNA, the translation
region encoded by the cDNA can be routinely determined, and the amino acid sequence of
the NSC protein of the present invention can be easily obtained. Moreover, by screening
15   the genomic DNA library using the obtained cDNA or parts thereof as a probe, the
genomic DNA can be isolated.

     More specifically, mRNAs may first be prepared from a cell, tissue, or organ in
which the object NSC protein of the invention is expressed. Known methods can be used
to isolate mRNAs; for instance, total RNA may be prepared by guanidine
20   ultracentrifugation (Chirgwin et al., Biochemistry 18:5294-9 (1979)) or AGPC method
(Chomczynski and Sacchi, Anal Biochem 162:156-9 (1987)). In addition, mRNA may be
purified from total RNA using mRNA Purification Kit (Pharmacia) and such or,
alternatively, mRNA may be directly purified by QuickPrep mRNA Purification Kit
(Pharmacia).

25   The obtained mRNA is used to synthesize cDNA using reverse transcriptase.
cDNA may be synthesized using a commercially available kit, such as the AMV Reverse
Transcriptase First-strand cDNA Synthesis Kit (Seikagaku Kogyo). Alternatively, cDNA
may be synthesized and amplified following the 5'-RACE method (Frohman et al., Proc
Natl Acad Sci USA 85: 8998-9002 (1988); Belyavsky et al., Nucleic Acids Res 17:
30   2919-32 (1989)), which uses a primer and such, described herein, the 5'-Ampli FINDER
RACE Kit (Clontech), and polymerase chain reaction (PCR).

     A desired DNA fragment is prepared from the PCR products and ligated with a
vector DNA. The recombinant vectors are used to transform E. coli and such, and a
desired recombinant vector is prepared from a selected colony. The nucleotide sequence
35   of the desired DNA can be verified by conventional methods, such as dideoxynucleotide
chain termination.

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The nucleotide sequence of a polynucleotide of the invention may be designed to be expressed more efficiently by taking into account the frequency of codon usage in the host to be used for expression (Grantham et al., Nucleic Acids Res 9: 43-74 (1981)). The sequence of the polynucleotide of the present invention may be altered by a commercially

5   available kit or a conventional method. For instance, the sequence may be altered by digestion with restriction enzymes, insertion of a synthetic oligonucleotide or an appropriate polynucleotide fragment, addition of a linker, or insertion of the initiation codon (ATG) and/or the stop codon (TAA, TGA, or TAG).

Specifically, the polynucleotide of the present invention encompasses the DNA

10   comprising the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO: 1.

Furthermore, the present invention provides a polynucleotide that hybridizes under stringent conditions with a polynucleotide having a nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO: 1, and encodes a polypeptide functionally equivalent to the NSC protein of the invention described above. One skilled in the art may appropriately choose stringent conditions.

15   For example, low stringent condition can be used. More preferably, high stringent condition can be used. These conditions are the same as that described above. The hybridizing DNA above is preferably a cDNA or a chromosomal DNA.

Vectors and host cells

20   The present invention also provides a vector into which the above polynucleotide of the present invention is inserted. A vector of the present invention is useful to keep a polynucleotide, especially a DNA, of the present invention in host cell, to express the NSC protein of the present invention, or to administer the polynucleotide of the present invention for gene therapy.

25   When *E. coli* is a host cell and the vector is amplified and produced in a large amount in *E. coli* (e.g., JM109, DH5α, HB101, or XL1Blue), the vector should have "ori" to be amplified in *E. coli* and a marker gene for selecting transformed *E. coli* (e.g., a drug-resistance gene selected by a drug such as ampicillin, tetracycline, kanamycin, chloramphenicol or the like). For example, M13-series vectors, pUC-series vectors,

30   pBR322, pBluescript, pCR-Script, etc. can be used. In addition, pGEM-T, pDIRECT, and pT7 can also be used for subcloning and extracting cDNA as well as the vectors described above. When a vector is used to produce the NSC protein of the present invention, an expression vector is especially useful. For example, an expression vector to be expressed in *E. coli* should have the above characteristics to be amplified in *E. coli*. When *E. coli*,

35   such as JM109, DH5α, HB101, or XL1 Blue, are used as a host cell, the vector should have a promoter, for example, lacZ promoter (Ward et al., Nature 341: 544-6 (1989); FASEB J

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6: 2422-7 (1992)), araB promoter (Better et al., Science 240: 1041-3 (1988)), or T7 promoter or the like, that can efficiently express the desired gene in *E. coli*.   In that respect, pGEX-5X-1 (Pharmacia), "QIAexpress system" (Qiagen), pEGFP and pET (in this case, the host is preferably BL21 which expresses T7 RNA polymerase), for example, can

5   be used instead of the above vectors.   Additionally, the vector may also contain a signal sequence for protein secretion.   An exemplary signal sequence that directs the NSC protein to be secreted to the periplasm of the *E. coli* is the pelB signal sequence (Lei et al., J Bacteriol 169: 4379 (1987)).   Means for introducing of the vectors into the target host cells include, for example, the calcium chloride method and the electroporation method.

10   In addition to *E. coli*, for example, expression vectors derived from mammals (for example, pcDNA3 (Invitrogen) and pEGF-BOS (Nucleic Acids Res 18(17): 5322 (1990)), pEF, pCDM8), expression vectors derived from insect cells (for example, "Bac-to-BAC baculovirus expression system" (GIBCO BRL), pBacPAK8), expression vectors derived from plants (e.g., pMH1, pMH2), expression vectors derived from animal viruses (e.g.,

15   pHSV, pMV, pAdexLcw), expression vectors derived from retroviruses (e.g., pZIpneo), expression vector derived from yeast (e.g., "Pichia Expression Kit" (Invitrogen), pNV11, SP-Q01), and expression vectors derived from *Bacillus subtilis* (e.g., pPL608, pKTH50) can be used for producing the polypeptide of the present invention.

          In order to express the vector in animal cells, such as CHO, COS or NIH3T3 cells,

20   the vector should have a promoter necessary for expression in such cells, for example, the SV40 promoter (Mulligan et al., Nature 277: 108 (1979)), the MMLV-LTR promoter, the EF1α. promoter (Mizushima et al., Nucleic Acids Res 18: 5322 (1990)), the CMV promoter, and the like, and preferably a marker gene for selecting transformants (for example, a drug resistance gene selected by a drug (e.g., neomycin, G418)).   Examples of

25   known vectors with these characteristics include, for example, pMAM, pDR2, pBK-RSV, pBK-CMV, pOPRSV and pOP13.

Producing NSC proteins

          In addition, the present invention provides methods for producing the NSC protein

30   of the present invention.   The NSC protein may be prepared by culturing a host cell which harbors a expression vector comprising a gene encoding the NSC protein.   According to needs, methods may be used to express a gene stably and, at the same time, to amplify the copy number of the gene in cells.   For example, a vector comprising the complementary DHFR gene (*e.g.*, pCHO I) may be introduced into CHO cells in which the nucleic acid

35   synthesizing pathway is deleted, and then amplified by methotrexate (MTX). Furthermore, in case of transient expression of a gene, the method wherein a vector

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comprising a replication origin of SV40 (pcD, etc.) is transformed into COS cells comprising the SV40 T antigen expressing gene on the chromosome can be used.

The NSC protein of the present invention obtained as above may be isolated from inside or outside (such as medium) of host cells, and purified as a substantially pure
5   homogeneous polypeptide.   The term "substantially pure" as used herein in reference to a given polypeptide means that the polypeptide is substantially free from other biological macromolecules.   The substantially pure polypeptide is at least 75% (e.g., at least 80, 85, 95, or 99%) pure by dry weight.   Purity can be measured by any appropriate standard method, for example by column chromatography, polyacrylamide gel electrophoresis, or
10   HPLC analysis.   The method for polypeptide isolation and purification is not limited to any specific method; in fact, any standard method may be used.

For instance, column chromatography, filter, ultrafiltration, salt precipitation, solvent precipitation, solvent extraction, distillation, immunoprecipitation, SDS-polyacrylamide gel electrophoresis, isoelectric point electrophoresis, dialysis, and
15   recrystallization may be appropriately selected and combined to isolate and purify the NSC protein.

Examples of chromatography include, for example, affinity chromatography, ion-exchange chromatography, hydrophobic chromatography, gel filtration, reverse phase chromatography, adsorption chromatography, and such (Strategies for Protein Purification
20   and Characterization: A Laboratory Course Manual. Ed. Daniel R. Marshak et al., Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory Press (1996)).   These chromatographies may be performed by liquid chromatography, such as HPLC and FPLC.   Thus, the present invention provides for highly purified polypeptides prepared by the above methods. ·

The NSC protein of the present invention may be optionally modified or partially
25   deleted by treating it with an appropriate protein modification enzyme before or after purification.   Useful protein modification enzymes include, but are not limited to, trypsin, chymotrypsin, lysylendopeptidase, protein kinase, glucosidase and so on.

Antibodies
30   The present invention provides an antibody that binds to the NSC protein of the invention.   The antibody of the invention can be used in any form, such as monoclonal or polyclonal antibodies, and includes antiserum obtained by immunizing an animal such as a rabbit with the NSC protein of the invention, all classes of polyclonal and monoclonal antibodies, human antibodies, and humanized antibodies produced by genetic .
35   recombination.

The NSC protein of the invention used as an antigen to obtain an antibody may be

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derived from any animal species, but preferably is derived from a mammal such as a human, mouse, or rat, more preferably from a human. A human-derived NSC protein may be obtained from the nucleotide or amino acid sequences disclosed herein. According to the present invention, the polypeptide to be used as an immunization antigen

5   may be a complete protein or a partial peptide of the NSC protein. A partial peptide may comprise, for example, the amino (N)-terminal or carboxy (C)-terminal fragment of the NSC protein of the present invention.

Herein, an antibody is defined as a protein that reacts with either the full length or a fragment of the NSC protein of the present invention.

10   A gene encoding the NSC protein of the invention or its fragment may be inserted into a known expression vector, which is then used to transform a host cell as described herein. The desired protein or its fragment may be recovered from the outside or inside of host cells by any standard method, and may subsequently be used as an antigen. Alternatively, whole cells expressing the NSC protein or their lysates, or a chemically

15   synthesized polypeptide may be used as the antigen.

Any mammalian animal may be immunized with the antigen, but preferably the compatibility with parental cells used for cell fusion is taken into account. In general, animals of Rodentia, Lagomorpha or Primates are used. Animals of Rodentia include, for example, mouse, rat and hamster. Animals of Lagomorpha include, for example, rabbit.

20   Animals of Primates include, for example, a monkey of Catarrhini (old world monkey) such as *Macaca fascicularis*, rhesus monkey, sacred baboon and chimpanzees.

Methods for immunizing animals with antigens are known in the art. Intraperitoneal injection or subcutaneous injection of antigens is a standard method for immunization of mammals. More specifically, antigens may be diluted and suspended in

25   an appropriate amount of phosphate buffered saline (PBS), physiological saline, etc. If desired, the antigen suspension may be mixed with an appropriate amount of a standard adjuvant, such as Freund's complete adjuvant, made into emulsion, and then administered to mammalian animals. Preferably, it is followed by several administrations of antigen mixed with an appropriately amount of Freund's incomplete adjuvant every 4 to 21 days.

30   An appropriate carrier may also be used for immunization. After immunization as above, serum is examined by a standard method for an increase in the amount of desired antibodies.

Polyclonal antibodies against the NSC protein of the present invention may be prepared by collecting blood from the immunized mammal examined for the increase of

35   desired antibodies in the serum, and by separating serum from the blood by any conventional method. Polyclonal antibodies include serum containing the polyclonal

antibodies, as well as the fraction containing the polyclonal antibodies may be isolated
from the serum.   Immunoglobulin G or M can be prepared from a fraction which
recognizes only the NSC protein of the present invention using, for example, an affinity
column coupled with the NSC protein of the present invention, and further purifying this
5   fraction using protein A or protein G column.

To prepare monoclonal antibodies, immune cells are collected from the mammal
immunized with the antigen and checked for the increased level of desired antibodies in the
serum as described above, and are subjected to cell fusion.   The immune cells used for
cell fusion are preferably obtained from spleen.   Other preferred parental cells to be fused
10   with the above immunocyte include, for example, myeloma cells of mammalians, and
more preferably myeloma cells having an acquired property for the selection of fused cells
by drugs.

The above immunocyte and myeloma cells can be fused according to known
methods, for example, the method of Milstein et al. (Galfre and Milstein, Methods
15   Enzymol 73: 3-46 (1981)).

Resulting hybridomas obtained by the cell fusion may be selected by cultivating
them in a standard selection medium, such as HAT medium (hypoxanthine, aminopterin,
and thymidine containing medium).   The cell culture is typically continued in the HAT
medium for several days to several weeks, the time being sufficient to allow all the other
20   cells, with the exception of the desired hybridoma (non-fused cells), to die.   Then, the
standard limiting dilution is performed to screen and clone a hybridoma cell producing the
desired antibody.

In addition to the above method, in which a non-human animal is immunized with
an antigen for preparing hybridoma, human lymphocytes such as those infected by EB
25   virus may be immunized with the NSC protein, NSC protein expressing cells, or their
lysates *in vitro*.   Then, the immunized lymphocytes are fused with human-derived
myeloma cells that are capable of indefinitely dividing, such as U266, to yield a hybridoma
producing a desired human antibody that is able to bind to the NSC protein can be obtained
(Unexamined Published Japanese Patent Application No. (JP-A) Sho 63-17688).

30   The obtained hybridomas are subsequently transplanted into the abdominal cavity
of a mouse and the ascites are extracted.   The obtained monoclonal antibodies can be
purified by, for example, ammonium sulfate precipitation, a protein A or protein G column,
DEAE ion exchange chromatography, or an affinity column to which the NSC protein of
the present invention is coupled.   The antibody of the present invention can be used not
35   only for purification and detection of the NSC protein of the present invention, but also as
a candidate for agonists and antagonists of the NSC prtotein of the present invention.   In

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addition, this antibody can be applied to the antibody treatment for diseases related to the NSC protein of the present invention including non-small cell lung cancer.   When the obtained antibody is to be administered to the human body (antibody treatment), a human antibody or a humanized antibody is preferable for reducing immunogenicity.

5   For example, transgenic animals having a repertory of human antibody genes may be immunized with an antigen such as the NSC protein, NSC protein expressing cells, or their lysates.   Antibody producing cells are then collected from the animals and fused with myeloma cells to obtain hybridoma, from which human antibodies against the polypeptide can be prepared (see WO92-03918, WO93-2227, WO94-02602, WO94-25585,

10   WO96-33735, and WO96-34096).

Alternatively, an immune cell, such as an immunized lymphocyte, producing antibodies may be immortalized by an oncogene and used for preparing monoclonal antibodies.

Monoclonal antibodies thus obtained can be also recombinantly prepared using

15   genetic engineering techniques (see, for example, Borrebaeck and Larrick, Therapeutic Monoclonal Antibodies, published in the United Kingdom by MacMillan Publishers LTD (1990)).   For example, a DNA encoding an antibody may be cloned from an immune cell, such as a hybridoma or an immunized lymphocyte producing the antibody, inserted into an appropriate vector, and introduced into host cells to prepare a recombinant antibody.   The

20   present invention also provides recombinant antibodies prepared as described above.

Furthermore, an antibody of the present invention may be a fragment of an antibody or modified antibody, so long as it binds to one or more of the NSC proteins of the invention.   For instance, the antibody fragment may be Fab, F(ab')$_2$, Fv, or single chain Fv (scFv), in which Fv fragments from H and L chains are ligated by an appropriate

25   linker (Huston et al., Proc Natl Acad Sci USA 85: 5879-83 (1988)).   More specifically, an antibody fragment may be generated by treating an antibody with an enzyme, such as papain or pepsin.   Alternatively, a gene encoding the antibody fragment may be constructed, inserted into an expression vector, and expressed in an appropriate host cell (see, for example, Co et al., J Immunol 152: 2968-76 (1994); Better and Horwitz, Methods

30   Enzymol 178: 476-96 (1989); Pluckthun and Skerra, Methods Enzymol 178: 497-515 (1989); Lamoyi, Methods Enzymol 121: 652-63 (1986); Rousseaux et al., Methods Enzymol 121: 663-9 (1986); Bird and Walker, Trends Biotechnol 9: 132-7 (1991)).

An antibody may be modified by conjugation with a variety of molecules, such as polyethylene glycol (PEG).   The present invention provides for such modified antibodies.

35   The modified antibody can be obtained by chemically modifying an antibody.   These modification methods are conventional in the field.

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Alternatively, an antibody of the present invention may be obtained as a chimeric antibody, between a variable region derived from nonhuman antibody and the constant region derived from human antibody, or as a humanized antibody, comprising the complementarity determining region (CDR) derived from nonhuman antibody, the frame

5   work region (FR) derived from human antibody, and the constant region.   Such antibodies can be prepared by using known technology.

Antibodies obtained as above may be purified to homogeneity.   For example, the separation and purification of the antibody can be performed according to separation and purification methods used for general proteins.   For example, the antibody may be

10   separated and isolated by the appropriately selected and combined use of column chromatographies, such as affinity chromatography, filter, ultrafiltration, salting-out, dialysis, SDS polyacrylamide gel electrophoresis, isoelectric focusing, and others (Antibodies: A Laboratory Manual. Ed Harlow and David Lane, Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory (1988)), but are not limited thereto.   A protein A column and protein G

15   column can be used as the affinity column.   Exemplary protein A columns to be used include, for example, Hyper D, POROS, and Sepharose F.F. (Pharmacia).

Exemplary chromatography, with the exception of affinity includes, for example, ion-exchange chromatography, hydrophobic chromatography, gel filtration, reverse-phase chromatography, adsorption chromatography, and the like (Strategies for Protein

20   Purification and Characterization: A Laboratory Course Manual. Ed Daniel R. Marshak et al., Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory Press (1996)).   The chromatographic procedures can be carried out by liquid-phase chromatography, such as HPLC, and FPLC.

For example, measurement of absorbance, enzyme-linked immunosorbent assay (ELISA), enzyme immunoassay (EIA), radioimmunoassay (RIA), and/or

25   immunofluorescence may be used to measure the antigen binding activity of the antibody of the invention.   In ELISA, the antibody of the present invention is immobilized on a plate, the NSC protein of the invention is applied to the plate, and then a sample containing a desired antibody, such as culture supernatant of antibody producing cells or purified antibodies, is applied.   Then, a secondary antibody that recognizes the primary antibody

30   and is labeled with an enzyme, such as alkaline phosphatase, is applied, and the plate is incubated.   Next, after washing, an enzyme substrate, such as p-nitrophenyl phosphate, is added to the plate, and the absorbance is measured to evaluate the antigen binding activity of the sample.   A fragment of the NSC protein, such as a C-terminal or N-terminal fragment, may be used as the antigen to evaluate the binding activity of the antibody.

35   BIAcore (Pharmacia) may be used to evaluate the activity of the antibody according to the present invention.

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The above methods allow for the detection or measurement of the NSC protein of the invention, by exposing the antibody of the invention to a sample assumed to contain the NSC protein of the invention, and detecting or measuring the immune complex formed by the antibody and the protein.

5   Because the method of detection or measurement of the NSC protein according to the invention can specifically detect or measure the protein, the method may be useful in a variety of experiments in which the protein is used.

The following examples are presented to illustrate the present invention and to 10   assist one of ordinary skill in making and using the same.   The examples are not intended in any way to otherwise limit the scope of the invention.

Unless otherwise defined, all technical and scientific terms used herein have the same meaning as commonly understood by one of ordinary skill in the art to which this invention belongs.   Although methods and materials similar or equivalent to those 15   described herein can be used in the practice or testing of the present invention, suitable methods and materials are described below.   Any patents, patent applications, and publications cited herein are incorporated by reference.

Best Mode for Carrying out the Invention
20   The present invention is illustrated in details by following Examples, but is not restricted to these Examples.

Tissue obtained from diseased tissue (e.g., epithelial cells from non-small cell lung cancer) and normal tissues was evaluated to identify genes which are differently expressed in a disease state, e.g., non-small cell lung cancer.   The assays were carried out 25   as follows.

[Example 1] General methods
(1) Patients and tissue samples

Primary lung cancer tissues were obtained with informed consent from 37 patients (15 female and 22 male of 46 to 79 years; median age 66.0) who underwent lobectomy. 30   Clinical information was obtained from medical records and each tumor was diagnosed according to histopathological subtype and grade by pathologist; 22 of the 37 tumors were classified as adenocarcinomas, 14 as SCCs and one as adenosquamous carcinoma.   The clinical stage for each tumor was judged according to the UICC TNM classification.   All samples were immediately frozen and embedded in TissueTek OCT medium (Sakura, 35   Tokyo, Japan) and stored at –80°C.

(2) Laser-capture microdissection, extraction of RNA and T7-based RNA amplification

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Cancer cells were selectively collected from the preserved samples using laser-capture microdissection (Kitahara et al., Cancer Res 61: 3544-9 (2001)). Extraction of total RNA and T7-based amplification were performed as described previously (Okabe et al., Cancer Res 61: 2129-37 (2001)). As a control probe, normal human lung poly(A)
5   RNA (CLONTECH) was amplified in the same way. 2.5-μg aliquots of amplified RNAs (aRNAs) from each cancerous tissue and from the control were reversely transcribed in the presence of Cy5-dCTP and Cy3-dCTP, respectively.

(3) Preparation of cDNA microarray

To obtain cDNAs for spotting on glass slides, RT-PCR was performed for each
10 gene as described previously (Kitahara et al., Cancer Res 61: 3544-9 (2001)). The PCR products were spotted on type VII glass-slides (Amersham Biosciences) with Microarray Spotter Generation III (Amersham Biosciences). 4,608 genes were spotted in duplicate on a single slide. Five different sets of slides were prepared (total 23,040 genes), each spotted with the same 52 housekeeping genes and two negative-control genes.

15 (4) Hybridization and acquisition of data

Hybridization, washing and detection of signals were carried out as described previously (Yanagawa et al., Neoplasia 3: 395-401 (2001)). The fluorescence intensities of Cy5 (tumor) and Cy3 (control) for each target spot were adjusted so that the mean Cy3/Cy5 ratio of the 52 housekeeping genes was equal to one. Data derived from low
20 signal intensities are less reliable. Therefore, a cut-off value for signal intensities on each slide was determined. Genes were excluded from further analysis when both Cy3 and Cy5 dyes gave signal intensities lower than the cut-off.

(5) Cluster analysis of 37 NSCLCs according to gene-expression profiles

A hierarchical clustering method to both genes and tumors was applied. To
25 obtain reproducible clusters for classification of the 37 samples, 899 genes for which valid data had been obtained in 95% of the experiments, and whose expression ratios varied by standard deviations of more than 1.0 were selected. The analysis was performed using web-available software ("Cluster" and "TreeView") written by M. Eisen (http://genome-www5.stanford.edu/ MicroArray/SMD/restech.html). Before applying the
30 clustering algorithm, the fluorescence ratio was log-transformed for each spot and then the data was median-centered for each sample to remove experimental biases.

[Example 2] Identification of genes with clinically relevant expression patterns in non-small cell lung cancer cells

A two-dimensional hierarchical clustering algorithm was applied to analyze
35 similarities among samples and genes, using data obtained from the expression profiles of all 37 NSCLC samples. Genes were excluded from further analysis when Cy3- or

Cy5-fluorescence intensities were below the cut-off value, as described previously
(Yanagawa et al., Neoplasia 3: 395-401 (2001)) and selected for which valid values could
be obtained in more than 95% of the cases examined.   Genes with observed standard
deviations of <1.0 were also excluded.   899 genes that passed through this cutoff filter
5   were further analyzed.

In the sample axis (horizontal), 39 samples (two cases were examined in duplicate
to validate the reproducibility and reliability of the experimental procedure) from 37 cases
were clustered into two major groups based on their expression profiles.   The dendrogram
represents similarities in the expression patterns among individual cases.   The shorter the
10   branches, the greater are the similarities.   The two duplicated cases (Nos. 6 and 12) that
were labelled and hybridized in independent experiments were clustered most closely
within the same group.   According to the analyses, the genes were clustered into adjacent
rows of identical genes that were spotted on different positions of slide glasses (data not
shown).   Of the 37 cases, the 22 adenocarcinomas clustered into one major group and the
15   14 SCCs clustered into another.   The single adenosquamous cell carcinoma (No. 25) fell
into the SCC cluster.   Clearly, adenocarcinoma and SCC appeared to have specific and
different gene expression profiles that may disclose the molecular nature of etiological
differences.

To search for down-regulated genes in NSCLCs, genes whose expression were
20   decreased by < 0.2-fold or lower in more than 70% of NSCLCs were screened.   806
down-regulated genes in NSCLCs were identified, which might have tumor suppressive
function and thus may be potentially used for future gene therapy (see, Table1).   In total,
582 up-regulated genes with Cy5/Cy3 ratios greater than 5.0 in more than 50% of NSCLCs
(Table2) were identified.   In the Tables, genes showing 5-fold expression in more than
25   70% of NSCLCs are potential diagnostic markers and those with 5-fold overexpression in
more than 50% of cases are potential targets for drugs.   As targets for drugs, genes for
which data were present between 33%-50% of the cases were also selected and 60 genes
which showed 5-fold higher expression in more than 90% of those NSCLCs were
additionally determined (Table3).   The criteria for further selection were as follows: (1)
30   tumor markers detectable in serum: genes that showed expression only in human testis,
ovary and 4 fetal tissues; (2) tumor markers detectable in sputum: genes that showed no
expression in the tissues of airway (i.e., lung, trachea and salivary gland); and (3)
therapeutic targets: genes that showed no expression in human vital organs like liver and
kidney.   The data of normal tissue distribution of these genes were obtained from the
35   expression profiles in 25 adult and 4 fetal human tissues by means of a cDNA microarray
containing 23,040 human genes.

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[Example 3] Identification and characterization of molecular targets for inhibiting
non-small cell lung cancer cell growth

        To identify and characterize new molecular targets that regulate growth,
proliferation and survival of cancer cells, antisense S-oligonucleotide technique was
5   applied to select target genes as follows.

(1) Identification of full-length sequence

        The full-length sequence of the genes that showed high signal intensity ratios of
Cy5/Cy3 on the microarray was determined by database screening and 5' rapid
amplification of cDNA ends using Marathon cDNA amplification kit (BD Biosciences
10   Clontech, Palo Alto, CA, USA) according to the supplier's recommendations.   A cDNA
template was synthesized from human testis mRNA (BD Biosciences Clontech) with a
gene-specific reverse primer and the AP1 primer supplied in the kit.   Nucleotide
sequences were determined with ABI PRISM 3700 DNA sequencer (Applied Biosystems,
Foster City, CA, USA) according to the manufacturer's instructions.

15   (2) Northern blot analysis

        ^{32}P-labeled PCR products corresponding to each of the genes selected for
investigation on the microarray were hybridized with human multiple-tissue blots (BD
Biosciences Clontech).   Prehybridization, hybridization and washing were performed
according to the supplier's recommendations.   The blots were autoradiographed on
20   intensifying screens at –80°C for 24-168 hours.

        To determine tissue distribution and the size of each of the genes, human multiple
tissue northern blot analysis was performed using human cDNA as a probe (Fig 4), and
following results were obtained for respective genes:

NSC 807: a single 4.4kb mRNA was found in placenta and testis;
25   NSC 810: a single 3.1kbmRNA was found in testis;

NSC 811: 2.4 and 2.7kb mRNAs were found in placenta and tongue, and weak expression
was detected in kidney, liver, adrenal gland, bladder, brain (whole), lymphnode, prostate,
stomach, thyroid and trachea;

NSC 822: a single 1.3kb mRNA was found in heart, liver and testis; .
30   NSC 825: a single 4.3kb mRNA was found in testis and spinal cord;

NSC 841: a weak expression of a transcript of 2.8kb was found in heart, adrenal gland,
brain (whole), lymphnode, spinal code, stomach, thyroid, tongue and trachea;

NSC 849: a single 1.4kb mRNA was found in placenta, prostate and trachea;

NSC 855: a 3.6kb mRNA was found in placenta, prostate and trachea;
35   NSC 859: a weak expression of a transcript of 2.1kb was found in skeletal muscle and
lymphnode;

NSC 885: a single 5.0kb mRNA was found in testis;

NSC 895: a single 1.5kb mRNA was found in placenta, stomach and trachea;

NSC 903: a single 2.7kb mRNA was found in testis, and weak expression was detected in thymus, small intestine, colon and bone marrow; .

NSC 904: a single 4.4kb mRNA was found in testis and skeletal muscle;

NSC 905: a single 2.5kb mRNA was found in heart, skeletal muscle, liver, stomach and tongue, and weak expression was detected in placenta and thyroid;

NSC 915: a single 1.5kb mRNA was found in testis;

NSC 948: a single 3.8kb mRNA was found in kidney, liver, placenta, stomach, thyroid, tongue and trachea;

NSC 956: a single 2.1 kb mRNA was found in heart, skeletal muscle, testis, stomach, thyroid and adrenal grand, and weak expression was detected liver, pancreas, thymus, prostate and spinal code;

NSC 994: a single 3.3kb mRNA was found in skeletal muscle and testis, and weak expression was detected in heart, liver and pancreas;

NSC 1000: a single 3.5kb mRNA was found in brain, pancreas, prostate and testis, and weak expression was detected in stomach, spinal cord and adrenal grand;

NSC 1066: a single 3.6kb mRNA was found in skeletal muscle and testis;

NSC 1075: a single 1.9kb mRNA was found in testis;

NSC 1107: a single 2.2kb mRNA was found in testis;

NSC 1131: transcripts of 1.6 and 1.4kb were found in testis;

NSC 1141: a single 2.9kb mRNA was found in placenta, and weak expression of the transcript was detected in skeletal muscle and testis;

NSC 1164: a single 5.2kb mRNA was found in brain and adrenal grand;

NSC 1183: a single 2.0kb mRNA was found in skeletal muscle and heart;

NSC 1201: a weak expression of a transcript of 7.8kb was found in heart, skeletal muscle, spinal code, prostate, testis, thyroid, spleen, lymphnode, trachea and adrenal gland;

NSC 1240: a weak transcript of 5.7kb was found in stomach, spinal code and lymphnode;

NSC 1246: a single 1.4kb mRNA was found in testis;

NSC 1254: a single 3.0kb mRNA was found in testis;

NSC 1265: a weak expression of a transcript of 3.0kb was found in stomach;

NSC 1277: a single 1.8kb mRNA was found in testis;

NSC 1295: a single 3.5kb mRNA was found in leukocyte, lymphnode and bone marrow;

NSC 1306: a single 7.4kb mRNA was found in heart and skeletal muscle;

NSC 1343: a single 4.7kb mRNA was found in placenta and skeletal muscle;

NSC 1362: a single 3.6kb mRNA was found in brain and whole brain;

NSC 1389: a single 0.9kb mRNA was found in tongue;

NSC 1399: a single 0.9kb mRNA was found in placenta;

NSC 1406: a single 2.4kb mRNA was found in heart, skeletal muscle and prostate;

NSC 1413: a single 4.0kb mRNA was found in liver and prostate;

5   NSC 1420: a single 2.8kb mRNA was found in testis.

<u>(2) Semiquantitative RT-PCR analysis</u>

       The increase in the expression level of mRNAs by 5-fold or more in more than 50% of NSCLCs was confirmed by semiquantitative RT-PCR as described previously (Akashi et al. Int J Cancer 88: 873-80 (2000)). Total RNA was extracted from cultured

10   cells and clinical tissues using Trizol reagent (Life Technologies, Inc., Gaithersburg, MD, USA) according to the manufacturer's protocol. Extracted RNA was treated with DNase I (Roche Diagnostics, Basel, Switzerland) and reverse transcribed to single-stranded cDNAs using oligo(dT)$_{12-18}$ primer with Superscript II reverse transcriptase (Life Technologies, Inc.). Appropriate dilutions of each single-stranded cDNA for subsequent

15   PCR amplification were prepared by monitoring the beta-actin (*ACTB*) or beta-2-microglobulin gene (*B2M*) as the quantitative controls. All reactions involved initial denaturation at 94 °C for 2 min, followed by 18 (for *ACTB* or *B2M*) or 25-30 cycles (for each gene of the present invention) of 94 °C for 30s, 58-62 °C for 30s and 72 °C for 45s on GeneAmp PCR system 9700 (Applied Biosystems). The primer sequences are listed

20   in Table 4.

Table4; Primer sequences for semi-quantitative RT-PCR experiments

NSC Assignment	Symbol		RT-PCR primer	SEQ ID NO:
807	KOC1	F	5'-TAAATGGCTTCAGGAGACTTCAG-3'	3
		R	5'-GGTTTTAAATGCAGCTCCTATGTG-3'	4
810	TTK	F	5'-ATGGAATCCGAGGATTTAAGTGGCAGAGAATTGA-3'	5
		R	5'-TTTTTTTCCCCTTTTTTTTTCAAAAGTCTTGGAGGAT-3'	6
811	SDC1	F	5'-GCTTCCTCCTGGAAATTGAC-3'	7
		R	5'-TCTACTGTACAGGGAAAAACCCA-3'	8
812	NMB	F	5'-AGTCGTGGTTCAGAAGTTACAGC-3'	9
		R	5'-TCTCTTACCAAATGCTGTTGAGC-3'	10
816	PIR51	F	5'-CATCTGGCATTTCTGCTCTCTAT-3'	11
		R	5'-CTCAGGGAAAGGAGAATAAAAGAAC-3'	12
820	HMMR	F	5'-GAAGTATCAAAACTCCGCTGTCA-3'	13
		R	5'-ATGCTGAGTAGACATGCAGATGA-3'	14
822		F	5'-CGGTATGCTAATGAAGATGGAGA-3'	15

		R	5'-CACAGGGTATCAGCAACTGTGTA-3'	16
824	BPAG1	F	5'-AGAAGTATCTGAGCCCCTGATG-3'	17
		R	5'-GTCTAACCTCCCAGCTGTTCC-3'	18
825	ANLN	F	5'-GCTGCGTAGCTTACAGACTTAGC-3'	19
		R	5'-AAGGCGTTTAAAGGTGATAGGTG-3'	20
830		F	5'-GTTTGCAACCAGGAGATACAAAG-3'	21
		R	5'-GCTGTGAGGTACAACAAATCACA-3'	22
837		F	5'-CCTCCTTTCCCTAGAGACTCAAT-3'	23
		R	5'-AGAAGCAACAGCAAGACCACTAC-3'	24
840	GNAS	F	5'-TTGCCTATGAAAGATAGGTCCTG-3'	25
		R	5'-GTTTTAATGCCCAGATAGCACAG-3'	26
841	URLC2	F	5'-AGGAGAAGTTGGAGGTGGAAA-3'	27
		R	5'-CAGATGAAAGATCCAAATTCCAA-3'	28
842	KIAA0887	F	5'-TCCACGACTTCTTATTCTCCTTG-3'	29
		R	5'-CATTTCTTTTAGGGACTGGGGTA-3'	30
846		F	5'-GAGAAACTGAAGTCCCAGGAAAT-3'	31
		R	5'-CTGATACTTCCATTCGCTTCAAC-3'	32
849	GJB5	F	5'-AGCTAAGCCATGAGGTAGGG-3'	33
		R	5'-CGCATGTGTGTTCTTCTATGA-3'	34
850		F	5'-CCAAGACAGGCAGAGTAGGTAAA-3'	35
		R	5'-CATTTTCATTGTGATCAGCCAG-3'	36
853		F	5'-TGTATGGGGGATTACCTACACAC-3'	37
		R	5'-AAAGGAGCACAACAAACATGC-3'	38
854		F	5'-TGTCCAAGGAGTCTGAAGTTCTC-3'	39
		R	5'-CTTGCCACCATACCTTTATTCTG-3'	40
855	LNIR	F	5'-CGAGAGAGTAGGAGTTGAGGTGA-3'	41
		R	5'-CAGAAATCCAGCAGATTTCAGAC-3'	42
857	TIGD5	F	5'-GAACAGGTGGCTGTGTTCCT-3'	43
		R	5'-ATAGAATCAAGTGGTGTGCTTCG-3'	44
859	URLC3	F	5'-CTGAGACTTTGAGTCCTTGGGAG-3'	45
		R	5'-TTCCTCATTTCTCTCAGTAACCG-3'	46
861	KIAA0251	F	5'-AACAATGCAAAGTAGTGCTCCTC-3'	47
		R	5'-GCTGAACTTCTTTATGCTCTTCG-3'	48
864		F	5'-ACCTTTGATTTTAGACTGAGGGC-3'	49
		R	5'-ACACTGGGTTGTGTGTTATTTCC-3'	50
870		F	5'-ATGAGCCTCTCATCCATGTCTTT-3'	51
		R	5'-AGTAAGAGTCTGCCTGAGACACG-3'	52
871	KIAA1929	F	5'-AGAAAATGGGGGTGCAAGTAG-3'	53
		R	5'-TAACCAAATTAACACGTGCTGG-3'	54
872	LOC51659	F	5'-AGAAAAGTTGGAGAAGATGAGGG-3'	55
		R	5'-GCCACCTCTGTGAGAGAGTCTAA-3'	56

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881	FLJ20068	F	5'-AGAACTAGTGTGACCCCACCC-3'	57
		R	5'-GCTTGCCTTTTCCCTTAGTAGG-3'	58
882	GUCY1B2	F	5'-AGGGAAATGAAGACAGGAGAACT-3'	59
		R	5'-GAGACACGGCTTAAGAAGTTTTG-3'	60
884	RAD51	F	5'-GCTTGTAAAGTCCTCGGAAAGTT-3'	61
		R	5'-ATCTCAACTCTGCATCATCTGGT-3'	62
885	BAG5	F	5'-ATAAGAGAAATATTGGCCATCG-3'	63
		R	5'-GCAAGCGTAAGAGACTGGTTTTA-3'	64
889	HSPC150	F	5'-CAAATATTAGGTGGAGCCAACAC-3'	65
		R	5'-TAGATCACCTTGGCAAAGAACAC-3'	66
892		F	5'-ACACACAGAGAGGAGGAAGTCT-3'	67
		R	5'-GAGTCTTTATGGAGCTGTGTCA-3'	68
893	MPHOSPH 1	F	5'-CAGGCCAAGTGATTTTAATGG-3'	69
		R	5'-CAATACAGGATGCAAGTTCCAA-3'	70
895	FAM3D	F	5'-ACAGCCCAGACACAAACAAATAC-3'	71
		R	5'-ACCCCATTCTCTCCACAGAC-3'	72
896	PRO0971	F	5'-TACAGGCCAGGATAGAAACACTC-3'	73
		R	5'-GTTCAAATATTGAAAGGGCCAC-3'	74
898	URLC7	F	5'-AGTTATGGGTTCCTGTGTGCTTA-3'	75
		R	5'-AAAGGCCTGTTCACAAGCTAAGT-3'	76
901	MAN1B1	F	5'-CTCGTGAAGCCTCAGATGTCC-3'	77
		R	5'-CTCCACCGAAAAGACCCATTC-3'	78
902	ALDOC	F	5'-AGCGTACACCCTCTGCACTTG-3'	79
		R	5'-TTTGCTGTATGGTATGTACTCAAGG-3'	80
903	URLC9	F	5'-CAGAAGAGAGAGGAGAGAACACG-3'	81
		R	5'-GAGGTTATCTCTGATGGAACCAA-3'	82
904		F	5'-CTTGAAGAAGAACTTCCAGACGA-3'	83
		R	5'-AATGTTCTAAAGATGAGAGGGGG-3'	84
905	URLC1	F	5'-AGGAGGCTGCTGGTACAAATACT-3'	85
		R	5'-GCAGGAAATACAGCAGGAACATA-3'	86
909	FLJ10468	F	5'-ATTCATTCTGGACCAAAGATCC-3'	87
		R	5'-TCTACTGTGGACAAGAAGCCTGT-3'	88
912	SRD5A1	F	5'-GTGATCTCTTCAAGGTCAACTGC-3'	89
		R	5'-CCAGATGAGATGATAAGGCAAAG-3'	90
915	URLC10	F	5'-ATTCGCTACTGCAATTTAGAGG-3'	91
		R	5'-GTTTAATGCAACAGGTGACAACG-3'	92
917	KIAA1096	F	5'-CACTTGGATTCCTTGCTTGTTAC-3'	93
		R	5'-GGGAAAAAGTATGCAACACTCAG-3'	94
920	CHAF1A	F	5'-AGGCGATGACCTGAAGGTACTG-3'	95
		R	5'-CAATAGGCCAGCAATCTCAATA-3'	96
921	AKR1B11	F	5'-AGGTTCTGATCCGTTTCCATATC-3'	97

		R	5'-ATCTTTACATCCTCAGTGTTGGC-3'	98
924		F	5'-GAAGACAAATGGTGTCCACAAA-3'	99
		R	5'-CCACTGGAAGTTTTCTTCGTACA-3'	100
929	KIAA0101	F	5'-TTCGTTCTCTCCTCTCCTCTCTT-3'	101
		R	5'-GGCAGCAGTACAACAATCTAAGC-3'	102
930		F	5'-CAGCACAGAGTAGGTGAACACAG-3'	103
		R	5'-CCTCAGTACATTTTCAACCCATC-3'	104
933		F	5'-AGGATGATGAGGATGACTGAAGA-3'	105
		R	5'-GAATGGGCCTCTATCTGGTATCT-3'	106
934	CIT	F	5'-TGTGTCTCATCTGTGAACTGCTT-3'	107
		R	5'-TTCGTGTTACGGTATATCCTGCT-3'	108
936	AF15Q14	F	5'-CTTCTGTTCCGTAAACTCCTTGA-3'	109
		R	5'-CAATTGTGTACTCCAAACCCAA-3'	110
938	FLJ13852	F	5'-GCCCTTCCAACTTGTCCTTAAC-3'	111
		R	5'-GCCTCTTTATTCCCATCCCTTA-3'	112
940	KIAA1443	F	5'-GAACAGATCACTGGTTTACCTCG-3'	113
		R	5'-ATCTTTCAGTAACAGACCTCCCC-3'	114
944		F	5'-ACAAGATGGCTAGCTCAAAAGTG-3'	115
		R	5'-CAACACGTGGTGGTTCTAATTT-3'	116
947	PKP3	F	5'-ATGCAGGACGGTAACTTCCTGC-3'	117
		R	5'-TGGGCCCAGGAAGTCCTCCTT-3'	118
948	KCNK5	F	5'-CCCAACATGTGAAGACAGTGAT-3'	119
		R	5'-CCTGTCCACCTCATGTTTTATTG-3'	120
956	SIAHBP1	F	5'-GCTGAAGTGTACGACCAGGAG-3'	121
		R	5'- CACCTTTATCCGCACTGTAGG-3'	122
957		F	5'-AAAGCTGATGAGGACAGACCAG-3'	123
		R	5'-GGCAGAGGCACAATCATTTTAG-3'	124
958		F	5'-GAAGAGAATGCAGGTGTTGAGTT-3'	125
		R	5'-GTCCACAGCATTCATAAAACAGG-3'	126
963		F	5'-CTCCTCAGTGTCCACACTTCAA-3'	127
		R	5'-GTTACTTGCAGCCAAAAGCAG-3'	128
964	AK3	F	5'-AGTCTCCTTTTCAGACATCCC-3'	129
		R	5'-TCCATAAAGTCAGACCAGCAGTT-3'	130
965	ENC1	F	5'-CCTTCTGGGAGGACAGACTTT-3'	131
		R	5'-TTTCTCTTCATTAGACTTGGCCTCT-3'	132
966		F	5'-AACCTAGCCTCCCTTCAAACTTA-3'	133
		R	5'-GAGACAGGATGGAAAAATCTGTG-3'	134
970		F	5'-CCTTTCCTGACCCTTTTAGTCTT-3'	135
		R	5'-CAAATCCTGTATTTCTCACAGGC-3'	136
972	LOC51690	F	5'-GAAAAAGGAGAGCATCTTGGACT-3'	137
		R	5'-AAAGGAAAATGCTTCCGTTCC-3'	138

973	HAS3	F	5'-TAATGTAGGATGACAGGCTCTCC-3'	139
		R	5'-CCAATTGTATAAAGGCTCTTCCC-3'	140
974	PYCR1	F	5'-AGGACAACGTCAGCTCTCCTG-3'	141
		R	5'-TCCACTATTCCACCCACAGTAAC-3'	142
975	FLJ12517	F	5'-GACCGAGAGTCCAGCATTTTT-3'	143
		R	5'-ACTGAACAGAGCAGACAGAAACC-3'	144
980	ANKT	F	5'-CTGCTGTTATTACCCCATTCAAG-3'	145
		R	5'-GTGAGTGACAGATGGCAATTACA-3'	146
984	MLL3	F	5'-CTCGGGTAGAATTTGATGACAAC-3'	147
		R	5'-GCTGGTAAAGCAGGTGTAAAAGA-3'	148
989	FOXM1	F	5'-CCCTGACAACATCAACTGGTC-3'	149
		R	5'-GTCCACCTTCGCTTTTATTGAGT-3'	150
990	WFDC2	F	5'-CTCTCTGCCCAATGATAAGGAG-3'	151
		R	5'-GAAACTTTCTCTCCTCACTGCTC-3'	152
991	DOLPP1	F	5'-CAGAAGTTTTGAGGACTGAACTG-3'	153
		R	5'-CCGACCTACCTTCCCTAGAAAT-3'	154
994	DKFZp434E2318	F	5'-GGGGTTTTGAAGGATGTGTACTT-3'	155
		R	5'-TATGAGGCCATTCTGCACATTA-3'	156
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		R	5'-GGATGCTGGTTTATTTACTGTAGG-3'	158
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		R	5'-AGGGAAAAGTAGAGACAAATGGG-3'	164
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		R	5'-CTCCTAGAGAAATGGGTTGGATT-3'	166
1012	FLJ12428	F	5'-ATACACTGAATGTGGAAGAACCG-3'	167
		R	5'-GGGCACACAATTTCATGTAGTCT-3'	168
1015	PHB	F	5'-AGACATTGCATACCAGCTCTCAT-3'	169
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		R	5'-TTCTGTTCTTGCAACTGAGTCCT-3'	172
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		R	5'-GTAAATTCAGCTTCAAACCCTGG-3'	174
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		R	5'-GCACTGTTACAGATAGTCTGGGG-3'	176
1026		F	5'-TATCAGTAACTGCTCCGTGTTCA-3'	177
		R	5'-GGTCTGTCATTGACCAAAACATC-3'	178
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		R	5'-AAACCAGAATCCAACACTACCCT-3'	180
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1038	CLDN1	F	5'-TCTTGCAGGTCTGGCTATTTTAG-3'	187
		R	5'-TATATTTAAGGAGCACCCCTTCC-3'	188
1047	SLC7A5	F	5'-ACAAGCAAGTGCATTTTCAGTC-3'	189
		R	5'-GAACAGGGTAGCCATTAACACAA-3'	190
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		R	5'-GCTACTCTTTGTGGCTTTCTTCA-3'	192
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		R	5'-GATGAACTCACTGAAGTCCACCT-3'	194
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		R	5'-ACATAGCAAGTTCGAGTTTCTGC-3'	198
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		R	5'-AGAAAAGGTGTGAACAGAGTTGC-3'	208
1072	FLJ13163	F	5'-AGAGCCATAGAAACTGCTCCTCT-3'	209
		R	5'-CATAACTGCATAGACAGCACGTC-3'	210
1075	URLC4	F	5'-TACCTGCTCTATGTGGGTGCT-3'	211
		R	5'-CCTCAGAACTCTCAGTTTATTCCTG-3'	212
1077		F	5'-ATAAGCCACAGAGACAAACCAGA-3'	213
		R	5'-GGGAGGTTATTTTCACAGAACAC-3'	214
1078	UBCH10	F	5'-GAGTTCCTGTCTCTCTGCCAAC-3'	215
		R	5'-TAATATACAAGGGCTCAACCGAG-3'	216
1086	TCF20	F	5'-GTCATAGCTGTGTCCTGGGTC-3'	217
		R	5'-CTATTTTATCCCCATGGCAGAGT-3'	218
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		R	5'-GGGTACATGCAAACCAGTACAC-3'	224
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		R	5'-AATGTCAGGTTGGGGAGTTA-3'	226
1109	ZNF259	F	5'-TTCTGGACAGACGGAGAGACTAC-3'	227
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		R	5'-TGACTTCTTTGAAGTGAAGGCT-3'	234
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		R	5'-GATCACATGCCAAGAACACAAT-3'	236
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		R	5'-GTCCTCTTATAAGGCTCACTCCC-3'	238
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		R	5'-CGGTATTCTTAACACATCTTGCC-3'	240
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		R	5'-CGGATATCCCTAATCTATTCCCA-3'	246
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		R	5'-CTAGCGGAAGACAATTCAGAAC-3'	250
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1173		F	5'-TGGTCCTACTAAGAGAATGCAGC-3'	257
		R	5'-AGCCATTAGGAAAAAGAGCAGAG-3'	258
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1196		F	5'-ATGTCTGCTCCGTGAGTGTCT-3'	271
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1210		F	5'-GTTGCAGTACCAATCCTTTCTTG-3'	279
		R	5'-GTCCTATGTTAATTTCCACCAAGC-3'	280
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		R	5'-GTTCTTTAATGACAGTTCAAGGGG-3'	282
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		R	5'-CCCATCAGGGAAACAAAGATTA-3'	284
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		R	5'-TCCATCAACTTACCTATCGATGC-3'	286
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		R	5'-GGTATCACAGGAGCACCAATAAA-3'	288
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1240	FLJ00159	F	5'-ACCCACAGAACTGGGAGTGAG-3'	291
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		R	5'-GGTATCAATAAAGCCCAGATATTCC-3'	294
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		R	5'-CAGGCACATCACAGTTGTCAC-3'	296
1247	MGC5585	F	5'-GATTTGGAACTTGGAAGGAGTG-3'	297
		R	5'-ACTTCAGTCACCCAAAACAACAG-3'	298
1250		F	5'-CGGGAGGATTGTAAGATACTGTG-3'	299
		R	5'-ACTTCTCATGAGTTCAGCCTCAG-3'	300
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		R	5'-CAGGGAGAAGAGAAAACATCAC-3'	302

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1265	SLC28A2	F	5'-AGCTGAAGCTGACTGTGTCT-3'	303
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		R	5'-CTCTAGCCAGCTTCTTCCTCAC-3'	306
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		R	5'-TATGCCTTCACTGATCCACCTAC-3'	308
1277		F	5'-TCCTGTGGAAATAGAACTGTCGT-3'	309
		R	5'-CACAAAGTTCAAGGAAGCAGTCT-3'	310
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		R	5'-CTCAGTTTCATCAAGTCCTTTGC-3'	316
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		R	5'-GTGTCCCACCATAGAAAACTTC-3'	318
1292	C17orf26	F	5'-GAAGCCAGCCTACTCCTTCTTAC-3'	319
		R	5'-TAGCATTCACAGAGCAGGAGATT-3'	320
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		R	5'-GTCTACAGTTAGACAGGGAAGCC-3'	322
1294	MED6	F	5'-GACAGCTCTTGGATCCCTATTTT-3'	323
		R	5'-AGAGTGAACTTGCATCTGTTCCT-3'	324
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		R	5'-CAGACAAGATAGCTGACTCTCCC-3'	326
1299	KIAA0720	F	5'-GAAGTCTGGGGGTGTTGGTCT-3'	327
		R	5'-ATAAAGACTTGTCTAGACTCCACTGGG-3'	328
1302	LOC51754	F	5'-GAACAGTGTTTGGTCTGGAATGT-3'	329
		R	5'-GGATATGAGAAAGGAAGGCAAGT-3'	330
1306	ABCA4	F	5'-ATCGTGAGCATCATCAGAGAAG-3'	331
		R	5'-AGACACACAGACAAACATGCAGA-3'	332
1309		F	5'-GCACTACCCAGACATCTTCGAG-3'	333
		R	5'-TGGGTGGCAAGTCTAATCTATTC-3'	334
1310	FJX1	F	5'-GATCCGAAGAAACTGGCTACTG-3'	335
		R	5'-AGGTCCTGCTCTCTTTGTCCTAT-3'	336
1315		F	5'-GAGTCTTCCCCATTTTCAGTCAT-3'	337
		R	5'-CTACATTTATGTGGCACGAAGG-3'	338
1320		F	5'-CTTTGGCTTATTTACAGAGCTGG-3'	339
		R	5'-AGGAGGCTAAAGGCAATGAATAG-3'	340
1321	TXN	F	5'-GAGTCTTGAAGCTCTGTTTGGTG-3'	341
		R	5'-AACATCCTGACAGTCATCCACAT-3'	342
1323		F	5'-AGTGTCTGCAACCTTGCTTTAAC-3'	343

		R	5'-AGTCCAGGGCATAAAACCTAAAC-3'	344
1325	FACL5	F	5'-ATGTGTGTGTGTTCATCTTCCAG-3'	345
		R	5'-ATCCATTTTCTCACAAGCAGTG-3'	346
1328	CDC20	F	5'-GGGGAATATATATCCTCTGTGGC-3'	347
		R	5'-AAAAACAACTGAGGTGATGGGT-3'	348
1337	MVD	F	5'-ATGAAGGACAGCAACCAGTTC-3'	349
		R	5'-CAATGCTGGTTTATTCCCCAT-3'	350
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1343	GPR49	F	5'-CAGTCCTGTGACTCAACTCAA-3'	353
		R	5'-CGAGTTTCACCTCAGCTCTTCT-3'	354
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		R	5'-GTTCAAACACTCACTGAAGAGCC-3'	356
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		R	5'-CTTTTTACCTTCGTGCACCTTT-3'	358
1353		F	5'-GACAGCAAAGTCTTGACTCCTTC-3'	359
		R	5'-AAAGTGGCTGGGAGTAAGGTATC-3'	360
1362	SCAMP5	F	5'-AGGGCACACATTCATCTTTGTA-3'	361
		R	5'-GTTACCAAAGACAGACACATTGG-3'	362
1371	LOC56755	F	5'-CTCAGCAAGAGAAGAACCGTTTA-3'	363
		R	5'-CCACTTAGAAATCGAATACGTCC-3'	364
1375		F	5'-TACCCAAGTCAGAAAGACTCTGC-3'	365
		R	5'-GGTGGCCTTCTCTCAAAATTAGT-3'	366
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		R	5'-AGTTTTTAGAGTTTCAGGGGGTC-3'	368
1378	LTBP3	F	5'-CTCCCTAGGGGTAGACTCTTCTG-3'	369
		R	5'-GAGACTAGGCCTCTTTTCTGGAT-3'	370
1384	KIAA0810	F	5'-TTCCAGCTATTCTTCAGATGCTC-3'	371
		R	5'-TATATGGCAGGTTTGTGTGTCTG-3'	372
1389	NMU	F	5'-ATGCTGCGAACAGAGAGCTG-3'	373
		R	5'-AATGAACCCTGCTGACCTTC-3'	374
1390		F	5'-TGAGTCTCCTCTTGGTGATTCTG-3'	375
		R	5'-GGAAGAGCAAAGAGAGCTTCATC-3'	376
1391	PITX1	F	5'-GCTCAAGTCCAAACAGCACTC-3'	377
		R	5'-ACATACACAGGGACGCTGTAAAC-3'	378
1394	FLJ10156	F	5'-TCCTAGGGGACTCTTGAGCTTAG-3'	379
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1395	FBN2	F	5'-TATGTGCTACCCACAACACCTC-3'	381
		R	5'-GTTTGAGAGGAACAACCAGGAG-3'	382
1398	DKFZP586 C1324	F	5'-AGTCTTGGTTTACCTGTGGTGAC-3'	383
		R	5'-AAAACAAAACCCCAGAAACCC-3'	384

1399	DLX5	F	5'-GGGACTACTGTGTTTTGCTGTTC-3'	385
		R	5'-TGAGGTCATAGATTTCAAGGCAC-3'	386
1403	FOP	F	5'-TAATAGTACCAGCCATCGCTCAG-3'	387
		R	5'-ATCCTACGGCTTTATTGACACCT-3'	388
1406	LOC51654	F	5'-CAGCCAGTTCTCAGACACTTAGG-3'	389
		R	5'-GTACTCGAGCCATCTGGCCTT-3'	390
1407		F	5'-ACTTTTGTGGTGTCCCCAAGTA-3'	391
		R	5'-CTGTGTACCCTTTACCCATTCCT-3'	392
1410		F	5'-ACTAGAGAAATGAGGGGCGTATC-3'	393
		R	5'-ATCTCTAACCAAACATCGTAGCG-3'	394
1412	HSPC157	F	5'-CTGAGGCAGCTTTATTTCCTACA-3'	395
		R	5'-ACTGGTGGGGTTACATAACCTTT-3'	396
1413		F	5'-GGTAGTGAAATATGGACAAAGGACA-3'	397
		R	5'-ACTTCTGCCATGTCGTCTTTTT-3'	398
1417	HOXC9	F	5'-ACAAAGAGGAGAAGGCTGACCT-3'	399
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1420	CHODL	F	5'-GGAAGGAAAGGAACTACGAAATC-3'	401
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1422	TMEM3	F	5'-CTCCTTACTTGTGGGATCAAATG-3'	403
		R	5'-ATGTGCTAGAATTACAGCCCTGA-3'	404
1424	MAGEA6	F	5'-AGGAGCTGAGTGTGTTAGAGGTG-3'	405
		R	5'-ATAAACCTGGATGCTGACGCTC-3'	406
1435	DKFZp586H0623	F	5'-AGACCTAAGTCTGGAACAGAGCC-3'	407
		R	5'-CTACAGCACTCATTTGGAAAAGG-3'	408
1436	FLJ10858	F	5'-TTGGTCCTCCTCTGTTTCATAGA-3'	409
		R	5'-GCTTCTCCCCAGTTACAAGAGAC-3'	410
1439	PC	F	5'-GTACTGAAGGACCTGCCAAGG-3'	411
		R	5'-GGGAAAGCCAGCTTTATTGAGTA-3'	412
1440		F	5'-AGTTTTGGATGACTCTGCTCAAG-3'	413
		R	5'-GGCATTTACGAGCATTATCTGAC-3'	414
1441	HSNOV1	F	5'-CAGTTTCAGTCCCAGGTCATACT-3'	415
		R	5'-GGCATACTCTTTGGTGAGAAATG-3'	416
1444	TMPO	F	5'-CTACCCTGAAGGGGAAGAAAAG-3'	417
		R	5'-AACACACCCTACATCCAAGGTC-3'	418
1445	RANBP3	F	5'-CTTCAGAGGAAATCTCCCAGTC-3'	419
		R	5'-GGCGTTATCTCGTTGTACTCGT-3'	420
1447	ADAM23	F	5'-AAAGCTGAATACAGAAGGCACTG-3'	421
		R	5'-TTTACTGACAGGTGGTGAAAGGT-3'	422

The expression of each of the genes in cancer tissue obtained from the lung cancer patient (Fig.2) was confirmed by semi-quantitative RT-PCR.   The result was as follows:

NSC 807: the expression of NSC 807 was   up-regulated in 6 of 9 NSCLC cases;

NSC 810: the expression of NSC 810 was up-regulated in 6 of 10 NSCLC cases;

NSC 811: the expression of NSC 811 was up-regulated in all of 9 NSCLC cases;

NSC 812: the expression of NSC 812 was   up-regulated in all of 15 NSCLC cases;

5   NSC 816: the expression of NSC 816 was up-regulated in all of 8 NSCLC cases;

NSC 820: the expression of NSC 820 was up-regulated in 8 of 9 NSCLC cases;

NSC 822: the expression of NSC 822 was up-regulated in 3 of 10 NSCLC cases;

NSC 824: the expression of NSC 824 was up-regulated in all of 9 NSCLC cases;

NSC 825: the expression of NSC 825 was   up-regulated in all of 12 NSCLC cases;

10   NSC 830: the expression of NSC 830 was up-regulated in 7 of 10 NSCLC cases;

NSC 837: the expression of NSC 837 was   up-regulated in 7 of 9 NSCLC cases;

NSC 840: the expression of NSC 840 was up-regulated in 9 of 10 cases of NSCLCs;

NSC 841: the expression of NSC 841 was   up-regulated in 9 of 11 NSCLC cases;

NSC 842: the expression of NSC 842 was   up-regulated in 7 of 8 NSCLC cases;

15   NSC 846: the expression of NSC 846 was up-regulated in 9 of 10 NSCLC cases;

NSC 849: the expression of NSC 849 was up-regulated in 7 of 10 NSCLC cases;

NSC 850: the expression of NSC 850 was up-regulated in all of 7 NSCLC cases;

NSC 853: the expression of NSC 853 was up-regulated in 8 of 10 NSCLC cases;

NSC 854: the expression of NSC 854 was up-regulated in all of 7 NSCLC cases;

20   NSC 855: the expression of NSC 855 was up-regulated in 10 of 11 NSCLC cases;

NSC 857: the expression of NSC 857 was   up-regulated in all of 8 NSCLC cases;

NSC 859: the expression of NSC 859 was   up-regulated in all of 8 NSCLC cases;

NSC 861: the expression of NSC 861 was up-regulated in 5 of 7 NSCLC cases;

NSC 864: up-regulation of NSC 864 was confirmed by semi-quantitative RT-PCR in all of

25   10 NSCLC cases;

NSC 870: the expression of NSC 870 was up-regulated in 10 of 11 NSCLC cases;

NSC 871: the expression of NSC 871 was   up-regulated in 12 of 13 NSCLC cases;

NSC 872: the expression of NSC 872 was up-regulated in 9 of 12 NSCLC cases;

NSC 881: the expression of NSC 881 was up-regulated in all of 10 NSCLC cases;

30   NSC 882: the expression of NSC 882 was   up-regulated in 7 of 10 NSCLC cases;

NSC 884: the expression of NSC 884 was up-regulated in all of 9 NSCLC cases;

NSC 885: the expression of NSC 885 was   up-regulated in all of 8 NSCLC cases;

NSC 889: the expression of NSC 889 was up-regulated in and 7 of 8 NSCLC cases;

NSC 893: the expression of NSC 893 was   up-regulated in 7 of 9 NSCLC cases;

35   NSC 895: the expression of NSC 895 was up-regulated in 5 of 6 NSCLC cases;

NSC 898: the expression of NSC 898 was up-regulated in 5 of 6 NSCLC cases;

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NSC 901: the expression of NSC 901 was up-regulated in all of 14 NSCLC cases;

NSC 902: the expression of NSC 902 was up-regulated in 7 of 8 NSCLC cases;

NSC 903: the expression of NSC 903 was up-regulated in 9 of 10 NSCLC cases;

NSC 904: the expression of NSC 904 was up-regulated in 7 of 10 NSCLC cases;

5   NSC 905: the expression of NSC 905 was   up-regulated in all of 13 NSCLC cases;

NSC 909: the expression of NSC 909 was up-regulated in 9 of 13 NSCLC cases;

NSC 912: the expression of NSC 912 was up-regulated in all of 7 NSCLC cases;

NSC 915: the expression of NSC 915 wasup-regulated in all of 9 NSCLC cases;

NSC 917: the expression of NSC 917 was   up-regulated in all of 9 NSCLC cases;

10   NSC 920: the expression of NSC 920 was up-regulated in 8 of 10 NSCLC cases;

NSC 921: the expression of NSC 921 was up-regulated in all of 8 NSCLC cases;

NSC 924: the expression of NSC 924 was up-regulated in all of 8 NSCLC cases;

NSC 929: the expression of NSC 929 was up-regulated in10 of 12 NSCLC cases;

NSC 930: the expression of NSC 930 was up-regulated in 9 of 10 NSCLC cases;

15   NSC 933: the expression of NSC 933 was up-regulated in 9 of 10 NSCLC cases;

NSC 934:CIT. the expression of NSC 934 was   up-regulated in 7 of 8 NSCLC cases;

NSC 936: the expression of NSC 936 was up-regulated in all of 8 NSCLC cases;

NSC 938: the expression of NSC 938 was up-regulated in 9 of 10 NSCLC cases;

NSC 940: the expression of NSC 940 was up-regulated in 2 of 10 NSCLC cases;

20   NSC 944: the expression of NSC 944 was up-regulated in all of 10 NSCLC cases;

NSC 947: the expression of NSC 947 was up-regulated in 9 of 10 NSCLC cases;

NSC 948: the expression of NSC 948 was up-regulated in 8 of 10 NSCLC cases;

NSC 956: the expression of NSC 956 was up-regulated in all of 8 NSCLC cases;

NSC 957: the expression of NSC 957 was up-regulated in 7 of 8 NSCLC cases;

25   NSC 958: the expression of NSC 958 was up-regulated in all of 10 NSCLC cases;

NSC 963: the expression of NSC 963 was up-regulated in all of 10 NSCLC cases;

NSC 964: the expression of NSC 964 was up-regulated in all of 8 NSCLC cases;

NSC 965: the expression of NSC 965 was up-regulated in 10 of 11 NSCLC cases;

NSC 966: the expression of NSC 966 was up-regulated in 3 of 8 NSCLC cases;

30   NSC 970: the expression of NSC 970 was up-regulated in 7 of 12 NSCLC cases;

NSC 972: the expression of NSC 972 was up-regulated in 9 of 10 NSCLC cases;

NSC 973: the expression of NSC 973 was up-regulated in 3 of 9 NSCLC cases;

NSC 974: the expression of NSC 974 was up-regulated in 9 of 10 NSCLC cases;

NSC 975: the expression of NSC 975 was up-regulated in 12 NSCL cases;

35   NSC 980: the expression of NSC 980 was up-regulated in 7 of 8 NSCLC cases;

NSC 984: the expression of NSC 984 was up-regulated in 8 of 9 NSCLC cases;

NSC 989: the expression of NSC 989 was up-regulated in all of 9 NSCLC cases;

NSC 990: the expression of NSC 990 was up-regulated in 4 of 8 NSCLC cases;

NSC 991: the expression of NSC 991 was up-regulated in 3 of 10 NSCLC cases;

NSC 994: the expression of NSC 994 was up-regulated in all of 8 NSCLC cases;

5   NSC 1000: the expression of NSC1000 was up-regulated in 12 of 13 cases of NSCLCs.

NSC 1002: the expression of NSC 1002 was up-regulated in all of 8 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1003: the expression of NSC 1003 was up-regulated in all of 10 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1012: the expression of NSC 1012 was up-regulated in all of 8 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1015: the expression of NSC 1015 was up-regulated in 10 NSCLC cases;

10   NSC 1016: the expression of NSC 1016 was up-regulated in 8 of 9 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1018: the expression of NSC 1018 was up-regulated in 3 of 6 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1023: the expression of NSC 1023 was up-regulated in 7 of 12 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1026: the expression of NSC 1026 was up-regulated in 7 of 9 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1027: the expression of NSC 1027 was up-regulated in 5 of 8 NSCLC cases;

15   NSC 1030: the expression of NSC 1030 was up-regulated in 5 of 6 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1034: the expression of NSC 1034 was up-regulated in 5 of 8 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1037: the expression of NSC 1037 was up-regulated in all of 9 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1038: the expression of NSC 1038 was up-regulated in 6 of 7 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1047: the expression of NSC 1047 was up-regulated in 4 of 6 NSCLC cases;

20   NSC 1049: up-regulation of NSC 1049 was detected in all of 6 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1052: the expression of NSC 1052 was up-regulated in all of 8 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1057: the expression of NSC 1057 was up-regulated in all of 8 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1058: the expression of NSC 1058 was up-regulated in 8 of 10 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1059: the expression of NSC 1059 was up-regulated in 8 of 9 NSCLC cases;

25   NSC 1064: the expression of NSC 1064 was up-regulated in all of 13 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1066: the expression of NSC 1066 was up-regulated in 8 of 10 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1067: the expression of NSC 1067 was up-regulated in all of 10 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1071: the expression of NSC 1071 was up-regulated in all of 10 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1072: the expression of NSC 1072 was up-regulated in 7 of 10 NSCLC cases;

30   NSC 1075: the expression of NSC 1075 was up-regulated in all of 9 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1077: the expression of NSC 1077 was up-regulated in 8 of 11 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1078: the expression of NSC 1078 was up-regulated in 8 of 9 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1086: the expression of NSC 1086 was up-regulated in 10 of 11 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1089: the expression of NSC 1089 was up-regulated in 6 of 9 NSCLC cases;

35   NSC 1090: the expression of NSC 1090 was up-regulated in 3 of 7 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1103: the expression of NSC 1103 was up-regulated in 7 of 8 NSCLC cases;

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NSC 1107: the expression of NSC 1107 was up-regulated in 8 of the 9 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1109: the expression of NSC 1109 was up-regulated in 8 of 9 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1113: The expression of NSC 1113 was up-regulated in 10 of the 11 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1116: the expression of NSC 1116 was up-regulated in 8 of 9 NSCLC cases;

5   NSC 1125: the expression of NSC 1125 was up-regulated in 10 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1131: up-regulation of NSC 1131 was detected in 2 of 6 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1133: the expression of NSC 1133 was up-regulated in all of 10 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1136: the expression of NSC 1136 was up-regulated in 8 of 9 NSCLC cases;.

NSC 1141: the expression of NSC 1141 was up-regulated in 6 of 10 NSCLC cases;

10   NSC 1142: up-regulation of NSC 1142 was detected in 9 of 11 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1157: the expression of NSC 1157 was up-regulated in 1 of 11 NSCLC cases;

NSC1162: the expression of NSC1162 was yp-regulated in 9 of 10 cases of NSCLCs

NSC 1164: the expression of NSC 1164 was up-regulated in all of 7 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1167: the expression of NSC 1167 was up-regulated in 8 of 9 NSCLC cases;

15   NSC 1169: the expression of NSC 1169 was up-regulated in 3 of 7 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1173: the expression of NSC 1173 was up-regulated in 5 of 7 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1176: the expression of NSC 1176 was up-regulated in 8 of 9 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1183: up-regulation of NSC 1183 was detected in all of 10 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1184: the expression of NSC 1184 was up-regulated in 8 of 9 NSCLC cases;

20   NSC 1185: up-regulation of NSC 1185 was detected in 5 of 6 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1191: the expression of NSC 1191 was up-regulated in 7 of 8 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1195: the expression of NSC 1195 was up-regulated in 5 of 9 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1196: the expression of NSC 1196 was up-regulated in all of 6 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1201: the expression of NSC 1201 was up-regulated in all of 9 NSCLC cases;

25   NSC 1205: the expression of NSC 1205 was up-regulated in 7 of 9 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1207: the expression of NSC 1207 was up-regulated in 8 of 10 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1210: the expression of NSC 1210 was and up-regulated in 9 of 10 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1214: the expression of NSC 1214 was up-regulated in 7 of 9 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1234: the expression of NSC 1234 was up-regulated in 9 of 10 NSCLC cases;

30   NSC 1236: the expression of NSC 1236 was up-regulated in all of 6 of 8 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1237: the expression of NSC 1237 was up-regulated in 5 of 6 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1238: the expression of NSC 1238 was up-regulated in 6 of 7 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1240: the expression of NSC 1240 was up-regulated in all of 7 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1242: the expression of NSC 1242 was up-regulated in 4 of 7 NSCLC cases;

35   NSC 1246: the expression of NSC 1246 was up-regulated in 6 of 10 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1247: the expression of NSC 1247 was up-regulated in 5 of 8 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1250: the expression of NSC 1250 was up-regulated in 8 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1254: the expression of NSC 1254 was up-regulated in 10 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1265: up-regulation of NSC 1265 was detected in 4 of 5 NSCLC cases;

5   NSC 1273: up-regulation of NSC 1273 was detected in 5 of 6 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1277: the expression of NSC 1277 was up-regulated in all of 10 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1279: the expression of NSC 1279 was up-regulated in all of 7 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1288: the expression of NSC 1288 was up-regulated in 6 of 9 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1289: the expression of NSC 1289 was up-regulated in 6 of 9 NSCLC cases;

10 NSC 1290: the expression of NSC 1290 was up-regulated in all of 10 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1292: the expression of NSC 1292 was up-regulated in all of 8 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1293: up-regulation of NSC 1293 was detected in 4 of 6 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1294: the expression of NSC 1294 was up-regulated in 7 of 8 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1295: the expression of NSC 1295 was up-regulated in 5 of 7 NSCLC cases;

15 NSC 1299: up-regulation of NSC 1299 was detected in 5 of 6 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1302: the expression of NSC 1302 was up-regulated in all of 7 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1306: up-regulation of NSC 1306 was detected in 5 of 6 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1309: the expression of NSC 1309 was up-regulated in 7 of 8 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1310: the expression of NSC 1310 was up-regulated in 9 of 10 NSCLC cases;

20 NSC 1315: the expression of NSC 1315 was up-regulated in 6 of 9 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1320: the expression of NSC 1320 was up-regulated in 5 of 9 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1323: the expression of NSC 1323 was up-regulated in all of 10 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1325: the expression of NSC 1325 was up-regulated in 2 of 9 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1328: the expression of NSC 1328 was up-regulated in all of 9 NSCLC cases;

25 NSC 1337: the expression of NSC 1337 was up-regulated in all of 9 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1345: the expression of NSC 1345 was up-regulated in 3 of 8 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1350: the expression of NSC 1350 was up-regulated in 6 of 8 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1353: the expression of NSC 1353 was up-regulated in 3 of 10 NSCLC cases;

30 NSC 1362: the expression of NSC 1362 was up-regulated in 6 of 7 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1371: the expression of NSC 1371 was up-regulated in all of 10 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1375: the expression of NSC 1375 was up-regulated in all of 8 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1377: the expression of NSC 1377 was up-regulated in 5 of 8 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1378: the expression of NSC 1378 was up-regulated in 8 of 9 NSCLC cases;

35 NSC 1384: the expression of NSC 1384 was up-regulated in 8 of 11 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1389: the expression of NSC 1389 was up-regulated in 8 of 9 NSCLC cases;

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NSC 1390: the expression of NSC 1390 was up-regulated in 8 of 10 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1391: the expression of NSC 1391 was up-regulated in all of 8 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1394: the expression of NSC 1394 was up-regulated in 6 of 10 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1395: the expression of NSC 1395 was up-regulated in 4 of 7 NSCLC cases;

5   NSC 1398: the expression of NSC 1398 was up-regulated in 8 of 9 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1399: The expression of NSC 1399 was up-regulated in 4 of 10 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1403: the expression of NSC 1403 was up-regulated in 6 of 8 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1406: the expression of NSC 1406 was up-regulated in all of 10 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1407: the expression of NSC 1407 was up-regulated in all of 10 NSCLC cases;

10   NSC 1410: the expression of NSC 1410 was up-regulated in 5 of 10 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1412: the expression of NSC 1412 was up-regulated in 6 of 9 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1417: the expression of NSC 1417 was up-regulated in 3 of 7 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1420: up-regulation of NSC 1420 was detected in all of 7 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1422: the expression of NSC 1422 was up-regulated in 4 of 10 NSCLC cases;

15   NSC 1424: the expression of NSC 1424 was up-regulated in 5 of 6 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1435: the expression of NSC 1435 was up-regulated in 4 of 8 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1436: the expression of NSC 1436 was up-regulated in all of 7 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1439: the expression of NSC 1439 was up-regulated in all of 8 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1440: the expression of NSC 1440 was up-regulated in 8 of 9 NSCLC cases;

20   NSC 1441: the expression of NSC 1441 was up-regulated in 9 of 11 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1444: the expression of NSC 1444 was up-regulated in 4 of 6 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1445: the expression of NSC 1445 was up-regulated in 6 of 7 NSCLC cases;

NSC 1447: the expression of NSC 1447 was up-regulated in all of 7 NSCLC cases.

25   (3) Antisense S-oligonucleotide assay

         Three to five pairs of reverse (control) and antisense S-oligonucleotides
corresponding to each of the genes were prepared.   Four NSCLC cell lines A549,
NCI-H226, NCI-H522 and/or LC319 plated on 6-well or 10cm dishes were transfected
with synthetic S-oligonucleotides corresponding to each of the genes using Lipofectin
30   reagent (Life Technologies, Inc.) and maintained in media containing 10% fetal bovine
serum for 2 days.   The cells were then fixed with 100% methanol and stained with
Giemsa solution.   Antisense S-oligonucleotides against 26genes suppressed focus
formation compared with control.   Thus, suppression of these genes were demonstrated to
reduce growth, proliferation and/or survival of the transfected cells.   The sequences of the
35   effective antisense S-oligonucleotides and the control reverse oligonucleotides are shown
in Table 5.   A MTT assay was performed in triplicate as by methods known in the art

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(Akashi et al. (2000) Int. J. Cancer 88: 873-80).   Methods and results for each of the
genes were as follows:

NSC 810:*TTK*; an effective antisense S-oligonucleotide (SEQ ID NO:423) and reverse
S-oligonucleotide (control) (SEQ ID NO:424) corresponding to *TTK* were synthesized.

5   Each of the S-oligonucleotides was transfected into NSCLC cell line A549 and LC319,
which showed highest expression level for *TTK*.   Two days after transfection, the
antisense S-oligonucleotide clearly were demonstrated to suppress cell proliferation
compared with control by the MTT assay (Fig.2).   Thus, the suppression of *TTK* was
suggested to reduce growth, proliferation and/or survival of cells.   The result was also

10 confirmed by focus formation (staining by Giemsa) (data not shown).

NSC 811:*SDC1*; three effective antisense S-oligonucleotides (AS1 (SEQ ID NO:425), AS2
(SEQ ID NO:427) and AS4 (SEQ ID NO:429)) and reverse S-oligonucleotides
(control)(R1(SEQ ID NO:426), R2(SEQ ID N:428) and R4(SEQ ID NO:430))
corresponding to *SDC1* were synthesized and transfected respectively into NSCLC cell

15 line A549, which showed highest expression for *SDC1*.   Two days after transfection,
these antisense S-oligonucleotides were clearly shown to suppress cell proliferation
compared with control by the MTT assay (Fig.2).   Therefore, the suppression of *SDC1*
was suggested to reduce growth, proliferation and/or survival of cells. The result was also
confirmed by focus formation (staining by Giemsa) (data not shown).

20 NSC 812:*NMB*; two effective antisense S-oligonucleotides (AS1 (SEQ ID NO:431) and
AS2 (SEQ ID NO:433)) and reverse S-oligonucleotides (control)(R1(SEQ ID NO:432) and
R2(SEQ ID NO:434)) corresponding to *NMB* were synthesized.   Each of the
S-oligonucleotides was transfected into NSCLC cell lines A549, NCI-H226 and NCI-H522,
which showed highest expression for *NMB*.   Two days after transfection, these antisense

25 S-oligonucleotides were demonstrated to clearly suppress cell proliferation compared with
control by the MTT assay (Fig.2).   Therefore, the suppression of *NMB* was suggested to
reduce growth, proliferation and/or survival of cells.   These results were also confirmed
by focus formation (staining by Giemsa) (data not shown).

NSC 816:*PIR51*; an effective antisense S-oligonucleotide AS1 (SEQ ID NO:435) and

30 reverse S-oligonucleotide (control) R1(SEQ ID NO:436) corresponding to *PIR51* were
synthesized.   Each of the S-oligonucleotides was transfected into NSCLC cell lines A549,
NCI-H226 and NCI-H522, which showed highest expression for *NMB*.   Two days after
transfection, the antisense S-oligonucleotide was demonstrated to clearly suppress cell
proliferation compared with control by focus formation (stained by Giemsa)(data not

35 shown).   Thus, the suppression of *PIR51* was suggested to reduce growth, proliferation
and/or survival of cells.

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NSC 825:_ANLN_; three effective antisense S-oligonucleotides (AS1(SEQ ID NO:437),
AS3(SEQ ID NO:439) and AS5(SEQ ID NO:441)) and reverse S-oligonucleotides
(control)(R1(SEQ ID NO:438), R3(SEQ ID NO:440) and R5(SEQ ID NO:442))
corresponding to _ANLN_ were synthesized.   Each of the S-oligonucleotides was transfected

5   into NSCLC cell lines A549, NCI-H226 and NCI-H522, which showed highest expression
for _ANLN_.   Two days after transfection, these antisense S-oligonucleotides were
demonstrated to clearly suppress cell proliferation compared with control by the MTT
assay (Fig.2).   Thus, the suppression of _ANLN_ was suggested to reduce growth,
proliferation and/or survival of cells.

10   NSC 841:_URLC2_; two effective antisense S-oligonucleotides, AS4 (SEQ ID NO:443) and
AS5 (SEQ ID NO:445), and reverse S-oligonucleotides (control) R4 (SEQ ID NO:444)
and R5 (SEQ ID NO:446) corresponding to _URLC2_ were synthesized.   Each of the
S-oligonucleotides was transfected into NSCLC cell lines A549, NCI-H226 and NCI-H522,
which showed highest expression for _URLC2_.   Two days after transfection, these

15   antisense S-oligonucleotides were shown to clearly suppress cell proliferation compared
with control by the MTT assay (Fig.2).   Thus, the suppression of _URLC2_ was suggested
to reduce growth, proliferation and/or survival of cells.   The result was also confirmed by
focus formation (staining by Giemsa)(data not shown).

NSC 857:_TIGD5_; two effective antisense S-oligonucleotides, AS3 (SEQ ID NO:447) and
20   AS4 (SEQ ID NO:449), and reverse S-oligonucleotides(control), R3 (SEQ ID NO:448)
and R4 (SEQ ID NO:450), corresponding to _TIGD5_ were synthesized.   Each of the
S-oligonucleotides were transfected into NSCLC cell lines A549, NCI-H226 and
NCI-H522, which showed highest expression for _TIGD5_.   Two days after transfection,
these antisense S-oligonucleotides were shown to clearly suppress cell proliferation

25   compared with control by the MTT assay (Fig.2).   Thus, the suppression of _TIGD5_ was
suggested to reduce growth, proliferation and/or survival of cells.   The result was also
confirmed by focus formation (staining by Giemsa)(data not shown).

NSC 859:_URLC3_; three pairs effective antisense S-oligonucleotides, AS2 (SEQ ID
NO:451), AS3 (SEQ ID NO:453) and AS5 (SEQ ID NO:455), and reverse
30   S-oligonucleotides (control), R2 (SEQ ID NO:452), R3 (SEQ ID NO:454) and R5 (SEQ
ID NO:456), corresponding to _URLC3_ were synthesized.   Each of the S-oligonucleotides
was transfected into NSCLC cell lines A549, NCI-H226 and NCI-H522, which showed
highest expression for _URLC3_.   Two days after transfection, these antisense
S-oligonucleotides were shown to clearly suppress cell proliferation compared with control
35   by the MTT assay (Fig.2).   Thus, the suppression of _URLC3_ was suggested to reduce
growth, proliferation and/or survival of cells.   The result was also confirmed by focus

formation (staining by Giemsa)(data not shown).

NSC 885:*BAG5*; two effective antisense S-oligonucleotides, AS1 (SEQ ID NO:457) and AS2 (SEQ ID NO:459), and reverse S-oligonucleotides (control), R1 (SEQ ID NO: 458) and R2 (SEQ ID NO: 460), corresponding to *BAG5* were synthesized.   Each of the

5   S-oligonucleotides was transfected into NSCLC cell lines A549, NCI-H226 and NCI-H522, which showed highest expression for *BAG5*.   Two days after transfection, the antisense S-oligonucleotides were shown to clearly suppress cell proliferation compared with controls by focus formation (staining by Giemsa)(data not shown).   Thus, the suppression of *BAG5* was suggested to reduce growth, proliferation and/or survival of cells.

10   NSC 893:*MPHOSPH1*; two effective antisense S-oligonucleotides, AS1 (SEQ ID NO:461) and AS2 (SEQ ID NO:463), and reverse S-oligonucleotides (control) R1(SEQ ID NO:462) and R2 (SEQ ID NO:464) corresponding to *MPHOSPH1* were synthesized.   Each of the S-oligonucleotides was transfected into NSCLC cell lines A549, NCI-H226 and NCI-H522, which showed highest expression for *MPHOSPH1*.   Two days after transfection, these

15   antisense S-oligonucleotides were demonstrated to clearly suppress cell proliferation compared with control by the MTT assay (Fig.2).   Thus, the suppression of *MPHOSPH1* was suggested to reduce growth, proliferation and/or survival of cells.   The result was also confirmed by focus formation (staining by Giemsa)(data not shown).

NSC 905:*URLC1*; three effective antisense S-oligonucleotides, AS2 (SEQ ID NO:465),

20   AS3 (SEQ ID NO:467) and AS5 (SEQ ID NO:469), and reverse S-oligonucleotides(control), R2 (SEQ ID NO:466), R3 (SEQ ID NO:468) and R5(SEQ ID NO:470), corresponding to *URLC1* were synthesized.   Each of the S-oligonucleotides was transfected into NSCLC cell lines A549, NCI-H226 and NCI-H522, which showed highest expression for *URLC1*.   Two days after transfection, these antisense S-oligonucleotides

25   were shown to clearly suppress cell proliferation compared with control by the MTT assay (Fig.2).   Thus, the suppression of *URLC1* was suggested to reduce growth, proliferation and/or survival of cells.   The result was also confirmed by focus formation (staining by Giemsa)(data not shown).

NSC 909:*FLJ10468*; an effective antisense S-oligonucleotide AS1 (SEQ ID NO:471) and

30   reverse S-oligonucleotide (control) R1 (SEQ ID NO:472) corresponding to *FLJ10468* were synthesized.   Each of the S-oligonucleotides was transfected into NSCLC cell lines A549 and NCI-H522, which showed highest expression for *FLJ10468*.   Two days after transfection, the antisense S-oligonucleotide was shown to clearly suppress cell proliferation compared with control by focus formation (staining by Giemsa)(data not

35   shown).   Thus, the suppression of *FLJ10468* was suggested to reduce growth, proliferation and/or survival of cells.

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NSC 920:*CHAF1A*; two effective antisense S-oligonucleotides, AS1 (SEQ ID NO:473) and AS4 (SEQ ID NO:475), and reverse S-oligonucleotides(control), R1 (SEQ ID NO:474) and R4 (SEQ ID NO:476) corresponding to *CHAF1A* were synthesized.   Each of the S-oligonucleotides was transfected into NSCLC cell lines A549 and NCI-H522,

5   which showed highest expression for *CHAF1A*.   Two days after transfection, these antisense S-oligonucleotides were shown to clearly suppress cell proliferation compared with control by focus formation (stained by Giemsa)(data not shown).   Thus, the suppression of *CHAF1A* was suggested to reduce growth, proliferation and/or survival of cells.

10   NSC 947:*PKP3*; four effective antisense S-oligonucleotides (AS1 (SEQ ID NO:477), AS2 (SEQ ID NO:479), AS3 (SEQ ID NO:481) and AS4 (SEQ ID NO:483)) and reverse S-oligonucleotides(control)(R1(SEQ ID NO:478), R2 (SEQ ID NO:480), R3 (SEQ ID NO: 482) and R4 (SEQ ID NO:484) corresponding to *PKP3* were synthesized.   Each of the S-oligonucleotides was transfected into NSCLC cell lines A549 and LC319, which showed

15   highest expression for *PKP3*.   Two days after transfection, these antisense S-oligonucleotides were demonstrated to clearly suppress cell proliferation compared with control by the MTT assay (Fig.2).   Thus, the suppression of *PKP3* was suggested to reduce growth, proliferation and/or survival of cells.   The result was also confirmed by focus formation (staining by Giemsa)(data not shown).

20   NSC 956:*SIAHBP1*; two effective antisense S-oligonucleotides, AS1 (SEQ ID NO:485) and AS2 (SEQ ID NO:487), and reverse S-oligonucleotides(control), R1 (SEQ ID NO:486) and R2 (SEQ ID NO:488) corresponding to *SIAHBP1* were synthesized.   Each of the S-oligonucleotides was transfected into NSCLC cell line A549, NCI-H226 and NCI-H522, which showed highest expression for *SIAHBP1*.   Two days after transfection,

25   these antisense S-oligonucleotides were shown to clearly suppress cell proliferation compared with control by the MTT assay (Fig.2), suggesting that suppression of *SIAHBP1* reduces growth, proliferation and/or survival of cells.   The result was also confirmed by focus formation (staining by Giemsa)(data not shown).

NSC 994:*DKFZP434E2318*; four effective antisense S-oligonucleotides (AS1 (SEQ ID

30   NO:489), AS3 (SEQ ID NO:491), AS4 (SEQ ID NO:493) and AS5 (SEQ ID NO:495)), and reverse S-oligonucleotides(control)(R1 (SEQ ID NO:490), R3 (SEQ ID NO:492), R4 (SEQ ID NO:494) and R5 (SEQ ID NO:496)), corresponding to *DKFZP434E2318* were synthesized.   Each of the S-oligonucleotides was transfected into NSCLC cell lines A549, NCI-H226 and NCI-H522, which showed highest expression for *DKFZP434E2318*.   Two

35   days after transfection, these antisense S-oligonucleotides were shown to clearly suppress cell proliferation compared with control by the MTT assay (Fig.2).   Thus, the suppression

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of *DKFZP434E2318* reduced growth, proliferation and/or survival of cells. The result
was also confirmed by focus formation (staining by Giemsa)(data not shown).

NSC 1075:*URLC4*; an effective antisense S-oligonucleotide AS5 (SEQ ID NO:497) and
reverse S-oligonucleotide (control) R5 (SEQ ID NO:498), corresponding to *URLC4* was

5   synthesized. Each of the s-oligonucleotides was transfected into NSCLC cell lines A549,
NCI-H226 and NCI-H522, which showed highest expression of *URLC4*. Two days after
transfection, the antisense S-oligonucleotides were shown to clearly suppress cell
proliferation compared with control by the MTT assay (Fig.2). Thus, the suppression of
URLC4 was suggested to reduce growth, proliferation and/or survival of cells. The resuls

10   was also confirmed by focus formation (staining by Giemsa)(data not shown).

NSC 1107:*URLC8*; two effective antisense S-oligonucleotides, AS1(SEQ ID NO:499) and
AS4 (SEQ ID NO:501), and reverse S-oligonucleotides(control), R1(SEQ ID NO:500) and
R4 (SEQ ID NO:502) corresponding to *URLC8* were synthesized and transfected
respectively into NSCLC cell line A549, which showed highest expression for *URLC8*.

15   Two days after transfection, these antisense S-oligonucleotides were shown to clearly
suppress cell proliferation compared with control by the MTT assay (Fig.2). Thus, the
suppression of *URLC8* was suggested to reduce growth, proliferation and/or survival of
cells. The result was also confirmed by focus formation (staining by Giemsa)(data not
shown).

20   NSC 1113:*URLC5*; two effective antisense S-oligonucleotides, AS1 (SEQ ID NO: 503)
and AS2 (SEQ ID NO:505), and reverse S-oligonucleotides (control), R1 (SEQ ID NO:
504) and R2 (SEQ ID NO:506), corresponding to *URLC5* were synthesized. Each of the
S-oligonucleotides was transfected into NSCLC cell lines A549, NCI-H226 and NCI-H522,
which showed highest expression for *URLC5*. Two days after transfection, the antisense

25   S-oligonucleotides were shown to clearly suppress cell proliferation compared with
controls by focus formation (staining by Giemsa) (data not shown), suggesting that
suppression of *URLC5* reduces growth, proliferation and/or survival of cells.

NSC 1131:*SYNJ2BP*; an effective antisense S-oligonucleotide AS1 (SEQ ID NO:507) and
reverse S-oligonucleotide(control) R1 (SEQ ID NO:508) corresponding to *SYNJ2BP* were

30   synthesized. Each of the S-oligonucleotides was transfected into NSCLC cell lines A549
and NCI-H226, which showed highest expression for *SYNJ2BP*. Two days after
transfection, the antisense S-oligonucleotide was shown to clearly suppress cell
proliferation compared with control by focus formation (stained by Giemsa)(data not
shown), suggesting that suppression of *SYNJ2BP* reduces growth, proliferation and/or

35   survival of cells.

NSC 1142:*NAPG*; an effective antisense S-oligonucleotide AS1 (SEQ ID NO:509) and

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reverse S-oligonucleotide(control) R1 (SEQ ID NO:510) corresponding to *NAPG* were synthesized.   Each of the S-oligonucleotides was transfected into NSCLC cell lines A549, NCI-H226 and NCI-H522, which showed highest expression for *NAPG*.   Two days after transfection, compared with control, the antisense S-oligonucleotide was shown to clearly

5   suppress cell proliferation by focus formation (stained by Giemsa)(data not shown), suggesting that suppression of *NAPG* reduces growth, proliferation and/or survival of cells. NSC 1183:*BYSL*; three effective antisense S-oligonucleotides, AS1(SEQ ID NO:511), AS2 (SEQ ID NO:513) and AS3 (SEQ ID NO:515), and reverse S-oligonucleotides (control), R1 (SEQ ID NO:512), R2(SEQ ID NO:514) and R3 (SEQ ID NO:516) corresponding to

10   *BYSL* were synthesized.   Each of the S-oligonucleotides was transfected into NSCLC cell lines A549, NCI-H226 and NCI-H522, which showed highest expression for *BYSL*.   Two days after transfection, compared with control, these antisense S-oligonucleotides were shown to clearly suppress cell proliferation by focus formation (staining by Giemsa)(data not shown), suggesting that suppression of *BYSL* reduces growth, proliferation and/or

15   survival of cells.
NSC 1185:*URLC6*; two effective antisense S-oligonucleotides, AS4 (SEQ ID NO:517) and AS6 (SEQ ID NO:519), and reverse S-oligonucleotides(control), R4 (SEQ ID NO:518) and R6 (SEQ ID NO:520) corresponding to *URLC6* were synthesized.   Each of the S-oligonucleotides was transfected into NSCLC cell lines A549 and NCI-H226 which

20   showed highest expression for *URLC6*.   Two days after transfection, compared with control, these antisense S-oligonucleotides were shown to clearly suppress cell proliferation by focus formation (staining by Giemsa)(data not shown), suggesting that suppression of *URLC6* reduces growth, proliferation and/or survival of cells.
NSC 1191:*COX17*; three effective antisense S-oligonucleotides, AS2 (SEQ ID NO:521),

25   AS4 (SEQ ID NO:523) and AS5 (SEQ ID NO:525), and reverse S-oligonucleotides (control), R2 (SEQ ID NO:522), R4 (SEQ ID NO:524) and R5 (SEQ ID NO:526) corresponding to *COX17* were synthesized.   Each of the S-oligonucleotides was transfected into NSCLC cell lines A549, NCI-H226 and NCI-H522, which showed highest expression of *COX17*.   Two days after transfection, these antisense S-oligonucleotides

30   were shown to clearly suppress cell proliferation compared with control by the MTT assay (Fig.2), suggesting that suppression of *COX17* reduces growth, proliferation and/or survival of cells.   The result was also confirmed by focus formation (staining by Giemsa)(data not shown).
NSC 1273:*FLJ32549*; two effective antisense S-oligonucleotides, AS1 (SEQ ID NO:527)

35   and AS2 (SEQ ID NO: 529), and reverse S-oligonucleotides (control), R1 (SEQ ID NO:528) and R2 (SEQ ID NO: 530), corresponding to *FLJ32549* were synthesized.   Each

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of the S-oligonucleotides was transfected into NSCLC cell lines A549, NCI-H226 and
NCI-H522, which showed highest expression of *FLJ32549*.   Two days after transfection,
the antisense S-oligonucleotides were shown to clearly suppress cell proliferation
compared with controls by focus formation (staining by Giemsa)(data not shown),
suggesting that suppression of *FLJ32549* reduces growth, proliferation and/or survival of
cells.

NSC 1389:*NMU*; an effective antisense S-oligonucleotide AS (SEQ ID NO:531) and
reverse S-oligonucleotide (control) R (SEQ ID NO:532), corresponding to *NMU* were
synthesized.   Each of the S-oligonucleotides was transfected into NSCLC cell lines A549
and LC319, which showed highest expression of *NMU*.   Two days after transfection, the
antisense S-oligonucleotide clearly suppressed cell proliferation compared with control by
the MTT assay (Fig.2), suggesting that suppression of *NMU* reduces growth, proliferation
and/or survival of cells.   The result was also confirmed by focus formation (staining by
Giemsa)(data not shown).

Table5; Sequences of the effective pairs of S-oligonucleotides

NSC Assign ment	Symbol	No.	S-oligo AS	SEQ ID NO:	S-oligo REV(control)	SEQ ID NO:
810	TTK		5'-TAAATCCTCGGATTC CAT-3'	423	5'-TACCTTAGGCTCCTAA AT-3'	424
811	SDC1	1	5'-CGCCGCGCGCCTCA TGCT-3'	425	5'-TCGTACTCCGCGCGC CGC-3'	426
		2	5'-CGGCCGCACTCACC GGCA-3'	427	5'-ACGGCCACTCACGCC GGC-3'	428
		4	5'-ACGACTGCTTGAAA GAGG-3'	429	5'-GGAGAAAGTTCGTCA GCA-3'	430
812	NMB	1	5'-AGTGCACTCGGATC TTGCT-3'	431	5'-TCGTTCTAGGCTCAC GTGA-3'	432
		2	5'-GCCTCCTGTACTGGA TTT-3'	433	5'-TTTAGGTCATGTCCTC CG-3'	434
816	PIR51	1	5'-TTGACTGGTTTCTTA TGT-3'	435	5'-TGTATTCTTTGGTCAG TT-3'	436
825	ANLN	1	5'-CTCCGTAAACGGAT CCAT-3'	437	5'-TACCTAGGCAAATGC CTC-3'	438
		3	5'-CGGATCCATCGCCCC AGG-3'	439	5'-GGACCCCGCTACCTA GGC-3'	440
		5	5'-ACCAAAGACGCATC ATCA-3'	441	5'-ACTACTACGCAGAAA CCA-3'	442
841	URLC2	4	5'-CCCTCGATTCCTCCG AGT-3'	443	5'-TGAGCCTCCTTAGCT CCC-3'	444
		5	5'-AACTGCCACACAGT AGTA-3'	445	5'-ATGATGACACACCGT CAA-3'	446

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857	TIGD5	3	5'-ATCCTCGCTGTCCAGGGC-3'	447	5'-CGGGACCTGTCGCTCCTA-3'	448
		4	5'-CGTCCAGGTGCAGCCACT-3'	449	5'-TCACCGACGTGGACCTGC-3'	450
859	URLC3	2	5'-GTTCCCATTCAAGAACAT-3'	451	5'-TACAAGAACTTACCCTTG-3'	452
		3	5'-CATGAGTGATGGTGGCTC-3'	453	5'-CTCGGTGGTAGTGAGTAC-3'	454
		5	5'-CCTCTCCCATGGCTTCAA-3'	455	5'-AACTTCGGTACCCTCTCC-3'	456
885	BAG5	1	5'-GGACAGGAACCAATGTAC-3'	457	5'-CATGTAACCAAGGACAGG-3'	458
		2	5'-ACAATACAATGTGACAAG-3'	459	5'-GAACAGTGTAACATAACA-3'	460
893	MPHOSPH1	1	5'-AGATTCCATTCTGCAAAC-3'	461	5'-CAAACGTCTTACCTTAGA-3'	462
		2	5'-GATTAAAATTAGATTCCAT-3'	463	5'-TACCTTAGATTAAAATTAG-3'	464
905	URLC1	2	5'-CATCTTGAGATCCTATTC-3'	465	5'-CTTATCCTAGAGTTCTAC-3'	466
		3	5'-TGGGGGCTTTTTACTCAT-3'	467	5'-TACTCATTTTTCGGGGGT-3'	468
		5	5'-AGGTACTTTAAACCACTT-3'	469	5'-TTCACCAAATTTCATGGA-3'	470
909	FLJ10468	1	5'-AGGAGCCATGGCGCTCGG-3'	471	5'-GGCTCGCGGTACCGAGGA-3'	472
920	CHAF1A	1	5'-GCAATCCATGGCTGTGGC-3'	473	5'-CGGTGTCGGTACCTAACG-3'	474
		4	5'-AATAATTACCTTGTATTA-3'	475	5'-TACCTAACGTTTCTATCT-3'	476
947	PKP3	1	5'-GAAGTTACCGTCCTGCAT-3'	477	5'-TACGTCCTGCCATTGAAG-3'	478
		2	5'-GCAGGAAGTTACCGTCCT-3'	479	5'-TCCTGCCATTGAAGGACG-3'	480
		3	5'-GTTGTTGAGCACAGCTAT-3'	481	5'-TATCGACACGAGTTGTTG-3'	482
		4	5'-GAAGTCCTCCTTCCGATA-3'	483	5'-ATAGCCTTCCTCCTGAAG-3'	484
956	SIAHBP1	1	5'-CCGTCGCCATCTTGCGTC-3'	485	5'-CTGCGTTCTACCGCTGCC-3'	486
		2	5'-TATGGTCGCCGTCGCCAT-3'	487	5'-TACCGCTGCCGCTGGTAT-3'	488
994	DKFZp434E2318	1	5'-GGACTGCATGGTGGAGAT-3'	489	5'-TAGAGGTGGTACGTCAGG-3'	490
		3	5'-CATGGTGGAGATGGCGAC-3'	491	5'-CAGCGGTAGAGGTGGTAC-3'	492
		4	5'-AGCAGGGCTGCAGAATGG-3'	493	5'-GGTAAGACGTCGGGACGA-3'	494
		5	5'-TGCTCTTGAAGTCGGGAC-3'	495	5'-CAGGGATGAAGTTCTCGT-3'	496
1075	URLC4	5	5'-GCAGTTGAGATGATTATT-3'	497	5'-TTATTAGTAGAGTTGACG-3'	498

1107	URLC8	1	5'-CAAAATCATTTCCTC CTC-3'	499	5'-CTCCTCCTTTACTAAA AC-3'	500
		4	5'-CGGGCCACCATCAC GGAA-3'	501	5'-AAGGCACTACCACCG GGC-3'	502
1113	URLC5	1	5'-ACGATTCATTGCTGC CTT-3'	503	5'-TTCCGTCGTTACTTAG CA-3'	504
		2	5'-ACACAAGACACGAT TCAT-3'	505	5'-TACTTAGCACAGAAC ACA-3'	506
1131	SYNJ2BP	1	5'-ATCCACTCTTCCGTT CAT-3'	507	5'-TACTTGCCTTCTCACC TA-3'	508
1142	NAPG	1	5'-AGCCGCCATCTCCA CAGT-3'	509	5'-TGACACCTCTACCGC CGA-3'	510
1183	BYSL	1	5'-CTTGTTCATGAACAT CTCT-3'	511	5'-TCTCTACAAGTACTTG TTC-3'	512
		2	5'-TGGCAGGAGGGTTC TTGT-3'	513	5'-TACTTGTTCTTGGGA GGA-3'	514
		3	5'-CAGGCCTACCTGGC AGGA-3'	515	5'-AGGACGGTCCATCCG GAC-3'	516
1185	URLC6	4	5'-ACCGCTTACGGTTG GCTG-3'	517	5'-GTCGGTTGGCATTCG CCA-3'	518
		6	5'-TCTGAAGAAAATAG ATCA-3'	519	5'-ACTAGATAAAGAAG TCT-3'	520
1191	COX17	2	5'-GTCAACCAGACCCG GCAT-3'	521	5'-TACGGCCCAGACCAA CTG-3'	522
		4	5'-TCTCCTTTCTCGATC ATA-3'	523	5'-ATAGTAGCTCTTTCCT CT-3'	524
		5	5'-ATTCCTTGTGGGCCT CAA-3'	525	5'-AACTCCGGGTGTTCC TTA-3'	526
1273	FLJ32549	1	5'-CCCATGCGAGCTGC GCC-3'	527	5'-CCGCGTCGAGCGTAC CC-3'	528
		2	5'-AGTGATAAACAGAA AGCG-3'	529	5'-GCGAAAGACAAATAG TGA-3'	530
1389	NMU		5'-TATCCTCGACTTTGA CTT-3'	531	5'-TTCAGTTTCAGCTCCT AT-3'	532

(4) RNA interference assay

A vector-based RNAi system, psiH1BX3.0, which directs the synthesis of small interfering RNAs (siRNAs) in mammalian cells was used for suppressing the expression of each of the endogenous genes in NSCLC cells.   Five vectors were designed for directing the synthesis of five different 19-base pair double-stranded nucleotides against the target sequence of each of the genes.   The vectors were transfected into four NSCLC cell lines using Lipofectamin 2000 reagent (Invitrogene, Carlsbad, CA, USA), which resulted in transfection with more than 60-90% transfection efficiency.   Cells were cultured for 5-9 days in the presence of an appropriate concentration of geneticin (G418).   The cell numbers or cell viability was determined upon Giemsa staining and/or MTT assay in triplicate.

(5) Flow cytometry

Cells were plated at a density of 5 X 10^5 cells/100-mm dish and transfected with

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siRNA-expression vector as mentioned above.   24-48 hours after the infection, the cells
were trypsinized, collected in PBS and fixed in 70% cold ethanol for 30 min.   After the
treatment with 100 µg/ml RNase (Sigma Chemical Co.-Aldrich, St. Louis, MO), the cells
were stained with 50 µg/ml propidium iodide (Sigma-Aldrich) in PBS.   Flow cytometry
was performed on Becton Dickinson FACScan and analyzed by ModFit software (Verity
Software House, Inc., Topsham, ME).   The percentages of nuclei in G0/G1, S and G2/M
phases of the cell cycle and sub-G1 population were determined from at least 20,000
ungated cells.   Apoptosis was also detected by flow cytometry based on the binding to
annexin V.

(6) RNAi

        To identify and characterize new molecular targets that regulate growth,
proliferation and survival of cancer cells, the RNA interferance technique was conducted
using the psiH1BX3.0 vector to suppress the endogenous expression of respective
candidate genes that were selected through the above process.   Specific methods and
results for each of the candidate genes was as follows:

NSC 807:KOC1: Three effective vectors directing the synthesis of 19-base pair
double-stranded sequences targeting the gene were designed and transfected into NSCLC
cell lines A549 and LC319..   Five days after transfection, the introduction of the RNAi
vector (No.1) against this gene clearly suppressed the number of colony compared with
control (Fig.3A and 3B), suggesting that suppression of *KOC1* reduces growth,
proliferation and/or survival of cells.   The result was also confirmed by focus formation
assay (Giemsa staining)(data not shown).

NSC 810:TTK: Three effective vectors directing the synthesis of 19-base pair
double-stranded sequences targeting the gene were designed and transfected into NSCLC
cell lines A549 and LC319.   Five days after transfection, the introduction of the RNAi
vector (TTK-1) against this gene was shown to clearly suppress cell proliferation compared
with control by MTT assay (Fig.3A and 3B) , suggesting that suppression of *TTK* reduces
growth, proliferation and/or survival of cells.   The result was also confirmed by focus
formation assay (Giemsa staining)(data not shown).   The LC319 cells transfected with
effective TTK RNAi was further examined under microscopy and images were captured
every 24 or 48 days.   The TTK RNAi transfected LC319 cells showed multi-nucleated
cell phenotype and underwent complete cell death, whereas cells transfected with EGFP
RNAi showed mono-nucleated cell phenotype (Fig 3C).   By Western blot analysis using
anti-TTK monoclonal antibodies, the expression of native TTK protein and its suppression
by TTK RNAi in LC319 cells were detected (Fig 3E).

NSC 825:ANLN: Two effective vectors directing the synthesis of 19-base pair

double-stranded sequences targeting the gene were designed and transfected into NSCLC cell lines A549 and LC319. Five days after transfection, the introduction of these RNAi vectors against this gene was shown to clearly suppress cell proliferation compared with control by MTT assay (Fig.3A and 3B) , suggesting that suppression of *ANLN* reduces

5   growth, proliferation and/or survival of cells. The result was also confirmed by focus formation assay (Giemsa staining)(data not shown). The LC319 cells transfected with any of the two effective ANLN RNAi had multi-nucleated cell phenotype and underwent complete cell death, whereas cells transfected with EGFP RNAi showed mono-nucleated cell phenotype (Fig 3C). The cell cycle profile of ANLN RNAi transfected cells

10   determined by flow cytometry showed abnormal cell cycle and polyploidy (>4N DNA content)(Fig 3D).

NSC 841:URLC2: Two effective vectors directing the synthesis of 19-base pair double-stranded sequences targeting the gene were designed and transfected into NSCLC cell lines A549 and LC319. Five days after transfection, the introduction of these RNAi

15   vectors against this gene was shown to clearly suppress cell proliferation compared with control by MTT assay (Fig.3A and 3B) , suggesting that suppression of *URLC2* reduces growth, proliferation and/or survival of cells. The result was also confirmed by focus formation assay (Giemsa staining)(data not shown). Flow cytometry was conducted 24 hours after the transfection of the siRNA. As a result, 28 % increase of the sub-G1

20   populations of LC319 cells was detected. The URLC2-siRNA markedly induced apoptosis which was also assessed by flowcytometric analysis of annexin V binding (Fig 3D).

NSC 903:URLC9: Two effective vectors directing the synthesis of 19-base pair double-stranded sequences targeting the gene were designed and transfected into NSCLC

25   cell lines A549 and LC319. Five days after transfection, the introduction of these RNAi vectors against this gene clearly suppressed the number of colony compared with control (Fig.3A and 3B) , suggesting that suppression of *URLC9* reduces growth, proliferation and/or survival of cells. The result was also confirmed by focus formation assay (Giemsa staining)(data not shown).

30   NSC 956:SIAHBP1: Two effective vectors directing the synthesis of 19-base pair double-stranded sequences targeting the gene were designed and transfected into NSCLC cell lines A549 and LC319. Five days after transfection, the introduction of these RNAi vectors against this gene was shown to clearly suppress cell proliferation compared with control by MTT assay (Fig.3A and 3B) , suggesting that suppression of *SIAHBP1* reduces

35   growth, proliferation and/or survival of cells. The result was also confirmed by focus formation assay (Giemsa staining)(data not shown).

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NSC 994:DKFZP434E2318: Two effective vectors directing the synthesis of 19-base pair double-stranded sequences targeting the gene were designed and transfected into NSCLC cell lines A549 and LC319.   Five days after transfection, the introduction of the RNAi vector (No.1) against this gene was shown to clearly suppress cell proliferation compared

5   with control by MTT assay (Fig.3A and 3B) , suggesting that suppression of *DKFZP434E2318* reduces growth, proliferation and/or survival of cells.   The result was. also confirmed by focus formation assay (Giemsa staining)(data not shown).

NSC 1107:URLC8: Five effective vectors directing the synthesis of 19-base pair double-stranded sequences targeting the gene were designed and transfected into NSCLC

10   cell lines A549 and LC319.   Five days after transfection, the introduction of these RNAi vectors against this gene clearly suppressed the number of colony compared with control (Fig.3A and 3B) , suggesting that suppression of *URLC8* reduces growth, proliferation and/or survival of cells.   The result was also confirmed by focus formation assay (Giemsa staining)(data not shown).

15   NSC 1191:COX17: Two effective vectors directing the synthesis of 19-base pair double-stranded sequences targeting the gene were designed and transfected into NSCLC cell lines A549 and LC319.   Five days after transfection, the introduction of the RNAi vector (No.2) against this gene was shown to clearly suppress cell proliferation compared with control by MTT assay (Fig.3A and 3B) , suggesting that suppression of *COX17*

20   reduces growth, proliferation and/or survival of cells.   The result was also confirmed by focus formation assay (Giemsa staining)(data not shown).

NSC 1246:SUPT3H: Three effective vectors directing the synthesis of 19-base pair double-stranded sequences targeting the gene were designed and transfected into NSCLC cell line A549.   Five days after transfection, the introduction of the RNAi vector (No.2)

25   against this gene was shown to clearly suppress cell proliferation compared with control by MTT assay (Fig.3A) , suggesting that suppression of *SUPT3H* reduces growth, proliferation and/or survival of cells.   The result was also confirmed by focus formation assay (Giemsa staining)(data not shown).

NSC 1389:NMU: Two effective vectors directing the synthesis of 19-base pair

30   double-stranded sequences targeting the gene were designed and transfected into NSCLC cell lines A549 and LC319.   Five days after transfection, the introduction of the RNAi vector (No.2) against this gene was shown to clearly suppress cell proliferation compared with control by MTT assay (Fig.3A and 3B) , suggesting that suppression of *NMU* reduces growth, proliferation and/or survival of cells.   The result was also confirmed by focus

35   formation assay (Giemsa staining)(data not shown).   Then, flow cytometry was performed 24 hours after the transfection of siRNA.   As a result, 34.5 % increase in the

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sub-G1 populations of LC319 cells was detected (Fig 3D).

NSC 1395:FBN2: An effective vectors directing the synthesis of 19-base pair double-stranded sequences targeting the gene were designed and transfected into NSCLC cell lines A549 and LC319.   Five days after transfection, the introduction of the RNAi

5   vector (No.2) against this gene was shown to clearly suppress cell proliferation compared with control by focus formation assay (Giemsa staining)(data not shown)

(7) Cytochrome c oxidase activity

Cytochrome c oxidase (CCO) activity and its inhibition by COX17 RNAi in A549 cells were examined.   Schematic illustration explaining the method of measuring the

10   CCO activity is shown in Fig. 3F.   Specifically, the cells were separated into mitochondria and other fractions using digitonin (Wako, Osaka, Japan).   Cytochrome c (63mM) in buffer (10mM Tris, 0.2mM EDTA, 0.05% n-dodecyl-b-D-maltoside, pH7.6) was incubated with 12.5mM L(+)-ascorbic acid for 30min at room temperature (18 °C), to convert ferric cytochrome c to ferrous cytochrome c.   Twenty micro-liters of 1mg/ml

15   mitochondrial protein solution was then added to 2ml of the mixture at 37 °C.   The reaction for CCO activity was measured at 550nm.

To clarify whether the native COX17 protein has cytochrome c oxidase (CCO) activity in human NSCLC cells, effective COX17 RNAi vectors were transfected into A549 cell line to detect the CCO activity.   2 or 5 days after transfection, the COX activity

20   was reduced due to the suppression of the endogenous COX17 gene.   The result confirmed the importance of the CCO activity exerted by COX17 in human NSCLC (Fig.3F, G and H).

Sequences of the synthetic oligonucleotides that are effective as an RNAi are shown in Table 6.   30 genes were identified which inhibition by transfection of an

25   antisense S-oligonucleotide and/or RNAi results in the suppression of growth, proliferation and survival of cancer cells.

Table6; Sequences of the effective synthetic oligonucleotides for RNAi

NSC Assignment	Symbol	NO.	RNAi	SEQ ID No:
807	KOC1	1	5'-GGACCAAGCTAGACAAGCA-3'	533
810	TTK	1	5'-ACAGTGTTCCGCTAAGTGA-3'	534
825	ANLN	1	5'- CCAGTTGAGTCGACATCTG-3'	535

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		2	5'-GCAGCAGATACCATCAGTG-3'	536
841	URLC2	1	5'-CGCAGCTGCGAAGTGTTGTA-3'	537
		2	5'-GATACGAAAGCAGCTGCGA-3'	538
903	URLC9	1	5'-GAGCGATTCATCTTCATCA-3'	539
		2	5'-CTGCAATTGAGGCTCCTTC-3'	540
956	SIAHBP1	1	5'-GAGTGTGCTGGTGAAGCAG-3'	541
		2	5'-GATCAAGTCCTGCACACTG-3'	542
994	DKFZp434E2318	1	5'-CGTGCTAGCAGCTGCGTGT-3'	543
1107	URLC8	1	5'-TGAGGTGCTCAGCACAGTG-3'	544
		2	5'-CGGAGGATCTCATGACCAC-3'	545
		3	5'-GATTCGCATCCTGCCATCG-3'	546
		4	5'-CAGTATTCGGACATAGAGG-3'	547
		5	5'-CACCAAGTACTGCTTGTGC-3'	548
1191	COX17	2	5'-GGAGAAGAACACTGTGGAC-3'	549
1246	SUPT3H	2	5'-GACAAATTGAGTGGCAGCA-3'	550
1389	NMU	2	5'-GAGATTCAGAGTGGACGAA-3'	551
1395	FBN2	2	5'-GAGAGCAATGAGGATGACT-3'	552

(8) Immunocytochemical analysis

To prepare c-myc-His tagged proteins, vectors containing genes encoding the c-myc-His epitope sequence (LDEESILKQE-HHHHHH) at the C-terminus of each protein were constructed and transfected into COS-7 cells. The transiently transfected COS-7 cells replated on chamber slides were fixed with PBS containing 4% paraformaldehyde, then rendered permeable with PBS containing 0.1% Triton X-100 for 3 min at 4 °C. The cells were covered with blocking solution (2% BSA in PBS) for 30 min at room temperature to block nonspecific antibody-binding sites. Then the cells were incubated with mouse anti-c-myc antibody (diluted 1: 800 in blocking solution). The antibody was stained with goat anti-mouse secondary antibody conjugated with FITC to observe them under ECLIPSE E800 microscope (Nikon). To confirm the expression of the c-myc-tagged proteins in transfected cells, Western-blotting was conducted as described

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previously (Shiratsuchi et al., Biochem Biophys Res Commun 247: 597-604 (1998)).

(9) Localization of product of potential target genes in mammalian cells

To investigate cellular localization of proteins encoded by these candidate genes in mammalian cells, COS-7 cells were transfected with pcDNA3.1 (+)/c-myc-His, a plasmid containing a gene encoding the c-myc-His-epitope sequence (LDEESILKQE-HHHHHH) at the C-terminus of each of the proteins.   Using anti-c-myc antibodies, 24 proteins were detected in individual subcellular locations.   The expression of some of the proteins in transfected cells were confirmed by immunoblotting (Fig 5A).

(10) Selection of transmembrane/secretary proteins as targets for anti-cancer therapy and diagnosis

14 transmembrane/secretary proteins that may be overexpressed on the surface of tumor cells were screened.   These proteins are expected to be a good target for receptor-targeted/antibody-based therapeutics and diagnostics for cancer.   The expression and cellular localization of some of the proteins in transfected COS-7 cells were confirmed by immunocytochemical analysis.

To determine the subcellular localization of the protein encoded by each of the genes, COS-7 cells were transfected with plasmids expressing the proteins tagged with c-myc-His or Flag.   Result of the immunocytochemical analysis on each of the genes are given below:

NSC 807:KOC1: KOC1/c-myc-His protein was mainly detected in the cytoplasm (data not shown).

NSC 810:TTK: TTK/c-myc-His protein was mainly detected in the nucleus (data not shown).

NSC 825:ANLN: ANLN /c-myc-His protein was mainly detected in the nucleus and cytoplasm (data not shown).

NSC 841:URLC2: URLC2/c-myc-His protein was mainly detected in the nucleus and cytoplasm (data not shown).

NSC 849:GJB5: GJB5/c-myc-His protein was mainly detected in the cytoplasmic membrane (Fig.5A).

NSC 855:LNIR: LNIR/c-myc-His protein was mainly detected in the cytoplasmic membrane (Fig.5A).

NSC 895:FAM3D: FAM3D/c-myc-His protein was mainly detected in the cytoplasmic granules, golgi and cytoplasmic membrane (Fig.5A).   Secretion of FAM3D in culture medium was detected by Western blotting (Fig.5B).   Thus, FAM3D was supposed to be a secretory protein.

NSC 903:URLC9: URLC9/c-myc-His protein was mainly detected in the nucleus (data not

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shown).

NSC 915:URLC10: URLC10/c-myc-His protein was mainly detected in the cytoplasmic granule and golgi, and also as dots on the surface of the cytoplasmic membrane (Fig.5A).

NSC 948:TASK-2: TASK-2/c-myc-His protein was mainly detected in the cytoplasmic

5   membrane (Fig.5A).

NSC 956:SIAHBP1: SIAHBP1/c-myc-His protein was mainly detected in the cytoplasm (data not shown).

NSC 994:DKFZp434E2318: DKFZp434E2318/c-myc-His protein was mainly detected in the cytoplasm (data not shown).

10   NSC 1000:PSK-1: PSK-1/c-myc-His protein was mainly detected in the cytoplasmic membrane (Fig.5A).

NSC 1103:KCNK1: KCNK1/c-myc-His protein was mainly detected in the cytoplasmic membrane (Fig.5A).

NSC 1107:URLC8: URLC8/c-myc-His protein was mainly detected in the nucleus (data

15   not shown).

NSC 1164:NPTX1: NPTX1/c-myc-His protein was mainly detected in the cytoplasmic granules (Fig.5A).   Secretion of NPTX1 in culture medium was detected by Western blotting (Fig.5B).   Thus, NPTX1 was supposed to be a secretory protein.

NSC 1191:COX17: COX17/c-myc-His protein was mainly detected in the mitochondoria

20   (data not shown).

NSC 1201:SLC7A1: SLC7A1/c-myc-His protein was mainly detected in the cytoplasmic membrane and golgi (Fig.5A).

NSC 1246:SUPT3H: SUPT3H/c-myc-His protein was mainly detected in the nucleus and cytoplasm (data not shown).

25   NSC 1288:PTGFRN: PTGFRN/c-myc-His protein was mainly detected in the cytoplasmic membrane and golgi (Fig.5A).

NSC 1295:ADAM8: ADAM8/c-myc-His protein was mainly detected in the cytoplasmic membrane (Fig.5A).   Secretion of three cleavaged forms of ADAM8 in culture medium was detected by Western blotting (Fig.5B).   Thus, ADAM8 was supposed to be a

30   secretory protein.

NSC 1389:NMU: NMU/c-myc-His protein was mainly detected in the golgi body and as a secreted protein (Fig.5A).

NSC 1420:CHDOL: CHDOL/c-myc-His protein was mainly detected in the cytoplasmic membrane and golgi (Fig.5A).

35   NSC 1441:HSCOV: HSNOV/c-myc-His protein was mainly detected in the cytoplasmic membrane and golgi (Fig.5A).

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(12) Cell growth assay and colony formation assay

Stable transfectants were established according to a standard protocol.
Specifically, after the transfection of plasmids expressing the target gene
(pcDNA3.1/myc-His) or a complementary strand of the gene (pcDNA3.1-antisense), or
5   mock plasmids (pcDNA3.1) into COS-7 cells, the cells were cultured with geneticin
(G418) for 14 days.   Then, colonies were selected and the expression of the gene was
detected by Western blotting.   Established stable transfectants were confirmed to be
monoclonal by immunostaining with anti-c-myc antibody (data not shown).   The stable
transfectants of COS-7 cells were seeded on a 6-well microtiterplate (5 X 10^4 cells/well),
10   and maintained in media containing 10% FBS supplemented antibiotics for 24, 48, 72, 96,
120 and 144 hours.   At each of the time points, the cell proliferation activity was
evaluated using Cell Counting Kit (WAKO) or by MTT assay.

(13) Cell growth assay of stable transformant and autocrine assay

NSC 810:TTK; to determine the effect of TTK on mammalian cell growth, COS-7 cells
15   expressing exogenous TTK (COS-7-TTK1 and 2) were established and their growth was
compared with that of control cells transfected with mock vector (TTK-mock).   As shown
in Fig 6, the growth of the COS-7-TTK cells were markedly promoted compared with that
of the control cells in accordance with the expression level of the
pcDNA3.1-TTK-c-myc-His protein.   The result was confirmed by three independent
20   experiments.   The COS-7-TTK cells also exhibited a remarkable tendency to form larger
colonies compared with the control cells (data not shown).

NSC 841:URLC2; to determine the effect of URLC2 on mammalian cell growth, NIH3T3
cells expressing exogenous URLC2 (NIH3T3-URLC2-3 and 5) were established and their
growth was compared with that of control cells transfected with mock vector
25   (NIH3T3-mock).   As shown in Fig 6, the growth of the NIH3T3-URLC2 cells were
markedly promoted compared with that of the control cells in accordance with the
expression level of the pcDNA3.1-URLC2-myc-His protein.   The result was confirmed
by three independent experiments.   The NIH3T3-URLC2 cells also showed a remarkable
tendency to form larger colonies compared with the control cells (data not shown).

30   NSC 1389:NMU; to determine the effect of NMU on mammalian cell growth, COS-7 cells
expressing exogenous NMU (COS-7-NMU-2, 3 and 5) were established and their growth
was compared with that of control cells transfected with antisense strand or mock vector
(COS-7-AS-1 and 2; COS-7-mock).   As shown in Fig 6, the growth of the COS-7-NMU
cells were markedly promoted compared with that of the control cells in accordance with
35   the expression level of the pcDNA3.1-NMU-c-myc/His protein.   The result was
confirmed by four independent experiments.   The COS-7-NMU cells also showed a

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remarkable tendency to form larger colonies compared with the control cells.   The result
suggested that overexpressed NMU have transforming effect on the mammalian cells.

(14) Autocrine assay

          To confirm the autocrine function of NMU in cell growth, COS-7 cells were

5   cultured in medium containing the active form of the 25 amino acid polypeptide of NMU
(NMU-25) (Alpha diagnostic international: ADI) at a final concentration of 1 μg~50 μg (3
μM~15 μM/ml).   Medium containing bovine serum albumin (BSA) at the same
concentration served as a control.   The polypeptides or BSA was added at every 48 hours
for 7days.   At the time point of 24, 48, 72, 96, 120 and 144 hours, the cell viability was

10   measured by MTT assay.   To confirm the growth promoting effect of NMU protein on
COS-7 cells, anti-NMU antibody was added at a final concentrations of 0.5 μM~7.5
μM/ml into the culture media containing 3 μM/ml of NMU-25.

          As a result, the COS-7 cells incubated with NMU-25 showed larger and faster cell
growth compared to those with BSA in a dose dependent manner (Fig 7A).

15   Next, anti-NMU antibody was added at a final concentrations of 0.5 μM~7.5
μM/ml into the culture media of COS-7 containing 3 μM/ml of NMU-25.   According to
the MTT assay, the COS-7 cells incubated with NMU-25 and anti-NMU antibody were
shown to exhibit a slower cell growth compared to those with controls in a dose dependent
manner (Fig 7B).

20   Furthermore, anti-NMU antibody was added at the same concentration in the
culture media for LC319 cells, which overexpress endogenous NMU.   By the MTT assay,
the LC319 cells incubated with anti-NMU antibody were demonstrated to show slower cell
growth compared to those with controls in a dose dependent manner (Fig 7C).

(15) Immunohistochemical analysis

25   To examine the expression of the proteins in clinical tissue samples including
normal lung and NSCLCs, sections were stained using ENVISION+ Kit/HRP (DAKO).
Specifically, following the endogenous peroxidase and protein blocking reactions,
anti-human antibody was added as the primary antibody and then the tissue samples were
treated with HRP labeled anti-rabbit IgG as the secondary antibody.   Then, chromogen

30   was added as the substrate to counterstain the tissue specimens with hematoxylin.

          To confirm overexpression of the TTK protein in NSCLC, the protein in NSCLC
cell lines, A549, LC319 and NCI-H522, was first identified by Western blotting analysis
(Fig 8).   Then, immunohistochemical staining was conducted for each of the genes as
follows:

35   NSC 947:PKP3; immunohistochemical staining was carried out with anti-PKP3 antibody
on surgically obtained NSCLC (squamous cell carcinoma) samples, which had been frozen

and embedded in OCT medium.   Cytoplasm of all tumor tissue samples were mainly stained with the anti-PKP3 antibody, whereas normal lung tissues were not stained (Fig 9). NSC 1164:NPTX1; immunohistochemical staining was carried out with anti-NPTX1 antibody on surgically obtained NSCLC samples, which had been frozen and embedded in

5   OCT medium.   Cytoplasm of all tumor tissue samples was mainly stained with the anti-NPTX1 antibody, whereas normal lung tissues were not stained(Fig 9).
NSC 1295:ADAM8; immunohistochemical staining was carried out with anti-ADAM8 antibody on surgically obtained NSCLC samples, which had been frozen and embedded in OCT medium.   All tumor tissue samples were strongly stained with the anti-ADAM8

10   antibody, whereas normal lung tissues were weakly stained (Fig 9).
NSC 1389:NMU; immunohistochemical staining was carried out with anti-NMU antibody on surgically obtained NSCLC samples, which had been frozen and embedded in OCT medium.   Cytoplasm of all tumor tissue samples were mainly stained with the anti-NMU antibody, whereas normal lung tissues were not stained.   In adenocarcinoma samples,

15   NMU was detected in duct cells and in squamous cell carcinomas around the nucleus, especially at the cytoplasmic granules (Fig 9).
(16) Full-length sequencing, Northern blotting and semiquantitative RT-PCR analyses of target genes
            By combining the list of over-expressed genes that showed 5-fold elevation in

20   their expression in more than 50% of NSCLCs compared to those in 34 normal tissues, 642 candidate genes were selected as tumor markers or therapeutic targets, which are specifically expressed in NSCLCs but not in normal tissues, except reproductive tissues or fetal organs which are not critical for the survival or can be replaced.   The full-length sequences of the target genes were determined by EST screening, and their gene

25   expression patterns were confirmed in tumor and normal tissues using semiquantitative RT-PCR.
            A novel genes URLC1 were found.   It's nucleotide sequence and the amino acid sequence encoded thereby are shown with following SEQ ID NOs in the sequence listing:

	Nucleic sequence	Amino acid sequence
30 URLC1	SEQ ID NO:1	SEQ ID NO:2

            The results obtained above are summarized below for each of the genes of the present invention:
NSC 807: KOC1; this gene encodes an hnRNA K-homology (KH) domain and an RNA

35   recognition motif (RRM) domain.   The function of the KH domain to bind to the 5'UTR of the IGF-II (IGF2) leader 3' mRNA, may repress the translation of IGF-II during late

development.   The lower expression of this gene in normal tissues, high expression in NSCLCs, and reduced growth, proliferation and/or survival of the transfected cells by the suppression of this gene suggest usefulness of this gene as a novel diagnostic marker and target for new drugs and immunotherapy.

5   NSC 810: TTK; this gene encodes an S TKc domain.   The protein encoded by the gene phosphorylates proteins on serine, threonine and tyrosine, which phosphorylation probably is associated with cell proliferation.   The lower expression of this gene in normal tissues, high expression in NSCLCs, and reduced growth, proliferation and/or survival of the transfected cells by the suppression of this gene suggest that this gene might be useful as a

10   novel diagnostic marker and target for new drugs and immunotherapy.   According to the present invention, the TTK protein expressed in stable transfectant promoted the growth of COS-7 cells in a dose dependent manner.   This result suggested that overexpression of TTK exerts a transforming effect on mammalian cells.   These data reveal that TTK might be a novel oncogene for NSCLC and suggest that a promising therapeutic strategy for

15   treating lung cancers may be established by targeting TTK.

NSC 811: SDC1; this gene encodes a putative band 4.1 homologues' binding motif (4.1m) domain.   The protein encoded by the gene is a cell surface proteoglycan, syndecan, which is an integral membrane protein acting as a receptor for extracellular matrix.   It belongs to the group of transmembrane heparan sulfate proteoglycans.   The lower expression of this

20   gene in normal tissues, high expression in NSCLCs, and reduced growth, proliferation and/or survival of the transfected cells by the suppression of this gene suggest that this gene might be useful as a novel diagnostic marker and target for new drugs and immunotherapy.

NSC 812:NMB; this gene encodes a signal peptide and a transmembrane domain. The

25   protein encoded by the gene functions as a neuromedin B, a member of the bombesin family, which is an autocrine growth factors for lung carcinomas.   The lower expression of this gene in normal tissues, high expression in NSCLCs, and reduced growth, proliferation and/or survival of the transfected cells by the suppression of this gene suggest that this gene might be useful as a novel diagnostic marker and target for new drugs and

30   immunotherapy.

NSC 816: PIR51; the protein encoded by the gene is localized in the nucleus and no domain was found in the protein.   The protein functions as a DNA- and RNA-binding protein; interacts with the RAD51 recombinase protein involved in DNA recombination and repair.   The lower expression of this gene in normal tissues, high expression in

35   NSCLCs, and reduced growth, proliferation and/or survival of the transfected cells by the suppression of this gene suggest that this gene might be useful as novel diagnostic marker

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and target for new drugs and immunotherapy.

NSC 825: ANLN; this gene encodes a PH domain, several putative functions of which
have been suggested: (1) binding to the beta/gamma subunit of heterotrimeric G proteins;
(2) binding to lipids, e.g., phosphatidylinositol-4,5-bisphosphate; (3) binding to
5   phosphorylated Ser/Thr residues; and (4) attachment to membranes by an unknown
mechanism.   The gene encodes an actin binding protein that interacts with cleavage
furrow proteins, such as septins, and may play a role in cytokinesis.   The lower
expression of this gene in normal tissues, high expression in NSCLCs, and reduced growth,
proliferation and/or survival of the transfected cells by the suppression of this gene suggest
10   that this gene might be useful as a novel diagnostic marker and target for new drugs and
immunotherapy.

NSC 841: URLC2; this gene encodes a Jmjc domain (a domain family that is a part of the
cupin metalloenzyme).   The protein encoded by the gene probably is an enzyme with
unknown functions that regulates the chromatin reorganization processes.   The lower
15   expression of this gene in normal tissues, high expression in NSCLCs, and reduced growth,
proliferation and/or survival of the transfected cells by the suppression of this gene suggest
that this gene might be useful as novel diagnostic marker and target for new drugs and
immunotherapy.   According to the present study, the suppression of URLC2 induced
apoptosis of LC319 cells.   Moreover, URLC2 protein expressed in stable transfectant
20   promoted the growth of NIH3T3 cells in a dose dependent manner.   This result suggests
that overexpressed URLC2 have a transforming effect on mammalian cells.   These data
reveal that URLC2 might be a novel oncogene for NSCLC and suggest that a promising
therapeutic strategy for treating lung cancers can be established by focusing on the
URLC2.

25   NSC 849:GJB5; this gene encodes a gap junction protein, beta 5 (connexin 31.1).   GJB5
is a member of the connexin family (beta-type (group i) subfamily).   It is reported that
one gap junction consists of a cluster of closely packed pairs of transmembrane channels,
connexons, through which materials of low molecular weight diffuse from one cell to a
neighboring cell.   A connexon is composed of a hexamer of connexins.   The protein
30   encoded by the gene was mainly detected in the cytoplasmic membrane by the
immunocytochemical analysis.   The lower expression of this gene in normal tissues and
high expression in NSCLCs suggest that this gene might be useful as a diagnostic marker
(i.e., in diagnosis using serum or sputum) and therapeutic target for NSCLCs.

NSC 855: LNIR; this gene encodes a signal peptide, immunoglobulin, immunoglobulin C2
35   domain and one transmembrane domain.   The transmembrane protein encoded by the
gene is supposed to be overexpressed on the surface of tumor cells but not on normal cells.

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Thus, the gene may be a good target for receptor-targeted therapy or diagnosis.

NSC 857: TIGD5; this gene encodes a Centromere Protein B (CENP-B). CENP-B is a DNA-binding protein localized to the centromere. Within the N-terminal 125 residues of the protein, there is a DNA-binding domain, which binds to a corresponding 17bp CENP-B box sequence. In the C-terminal 59 residues, CENP-B has a dimerization domain. CENP-B dimers binds either a two separate DNA molecule or two CENP-B boxes on one DNA molecule, with the intervening stretch of DNA forming a loop structure. This gene belongs to the tigger subfamily of the pogo superfamily of DNA-mediated transposons in humans. The proteins belonging to this subfamily are related to DNA transposons found in fungi and nematodes, and more distantly to the Tc1 and mariner transposases. The protein encoded by the gene is also very similar to the major mammalian centromere protein B. The exact function of this gene is unknown. The lower expression of this gene in normal tissues, high expression in NSCLCs, and reduced growth, proliferation and/or survival of the transfected cells by the suppression of this gene suggest that this gene might be useful as a novel diagnostic marker and target for new drugs and immunotherapy.

NSC 859: URLC3; this gene does not encode any known domain, and the protein encoded by the gene has 70% similarity over 56 amino acids to an eukaryotic translation initiation factor 3 subunit (Homo sapiens). The subunit binds to the 40s ribosome and promotes the binding of methionyl-tRNAi and mRNA (by similarity). The lower expression of this gene in normal tissues, high expression in NSCLCs, and reduced growth, proliferation and/or survival of the transfected cells by the suppression of this gene suggest that this gene might be useful as a novel diagnostic marker and target for new drugs and immunotherapy.

NSC 885: BAG5; this gene encodes a BAG domain. Thus, the protein encoded by this gene is a member of the BAG1-related protein family. The lower expression of this gene in normal tissues, high expression in NSCLCs, and reduced growth, proliferation and/or survival of the transfected cells by the suppression of this gene suggest that this gene might be useful as a novel diagnostic marker and target for new drugs and immunotherapy.

NSC 893: MPHOSP1; this gene encodes a KISc domain and microtubule-dependent molecular motors that play important roles in intracellular transport of organelles and in cell division. The protein encoded by the gene belongs to the kinesin-like protein family and interacts with guanosine triphosphate (gtp)-bound forms of rab6a and rab6b. The protein may act as a motor required for the retrograde rab6 regulated transport of golgi membranes and associated vesicles along microtubles. The protein has a microtubule plus end-directed motility, and is phosphorylated during the M-phase of the cell cycle.

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The lower expression of this gene in normal tissues, high expression in NSCLCs, and reduced growth, proliferation and/or survival of the transfected cells by the suppression of this gene suggest that this gene might be useful as a novel diagnostic marker and target for new drugs and immunotherapy.

5   NSC 895: FAM3D; this gene encodes a protein having a signal peptide domain at the N-terminal end which is supposed to be a secretory protein, although its function remains to be elucidated.   This protein was mainly detected in the cytoplasmic granules and golgi in the immunocytochemical analysis, suggesting that this protein might be secreted.   The lower expression of this gene in normal tissues and high expression in NSCLCs suggest

10   that this gene might be useful as a diagnostic marker (i.e., in the diagnosis using serum or sputum) for NSCLCs.

NSC 898: URLC7; the protein encoded by this gene is localized in the nucleus and no known domain existed in the protein.   The lower expression of this gene in normal tissues, high expression in NSCLCs, and reduced growth, proliferation and/or survival of the

15   transfected cells by the suppression of this gene suggest that this gene might be useful as a novel diagnostic marker and target for new drugs and immunotherapy.

NSC 903: URLC9; the protein encoded by this gene was localized in the nucleus and no known domain existed in the protein.   The lower expression of this gene in normal tissues, high expression in NSCLCs, and reduced growth, proliferation and/or survival of the

20   transfected cells by the suppression of this gene suggest that this gene might be useful as a novel diagnostic marker and target for new drugs and immunotherapy.

NSC 905: URLC1; this gene encodes a TUDOR domain, for which several putative functions have been suggested: (1) RNA-binding; and (2) nucleic acid binding.   The lower expression of this gene in normal tissues, high expression in NSCLCs, and reduced

25   growth, proliferation and/or survival of the transfected cells by the suppression of this gene suggest that this gene might be useful as a novel diagnostic marker and target for new drugs and immunotherapy.

NSC 909: FLJ10468; the protein encoded by this gene was localized in the nucleus and no known domain existed in the protein.   The lower expression of this gene in normal tissues,

30   high expression in NSCLCs, and reduced growth, proliferation and/or survival of the transfected cells by the suppression of this gene suggest that this gene might be useful as a novel diagnostic marker and target for new drugs and immunotherapy.

NSC 915: URLC10; this gene encodes 2 transmembrane domains.   The protein encoded by the gene has a region with low similarity to GML.   The protein was mainly detected in

35   the cytoplasmic granule and golgi, and as dots on the surface of the cytoplasmic membrane by immunocytochemical analysis.   This transmembrane protein is supposed to be

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overexpressed on the surface of tumor cells but not on normal cells.   Thus, the protein
may serve as a good target for receptor-targeted therapy or diagnosis.

NSC 920: CHAF1A; no known domain has been detected to be encoded by the gene.
The protein encoded by the gene has a 150 kDa subunit of chromatin assembly factor 1,

5   which helps deposit of histones H3 acetylated H4 onto replicating DNA.   The lower
expression of this gene in normal tissues, high expression in NSCLCs, and reduced growth,
proliferation and/or survival of the transfected cells by the suppression of this gene suggest
that this gene might be useful as a novel diagnostic marker and target for new drugs and
immunotherapy.

10   NSC 947: PKP3; the gene encodes an armadillo/beta-catenin-like repeats domain (ARM).
The armadillo repeat is an approximately 40 amino acid long tandemly repeated sequence
motif first identified in the Drosphia segment polarity gene armadillo.   Similar repeats
were later found in the mammalian armadillo homolog beta-catenin, the junctional plaque
protein plakoglobin, the adenomatous polyposis coli (APC) tumor suppressor protein and a

15   number of other proteins.   The protein encoded by the gene function as a plakophillin 3,
which mediates protein-protein interactions and is a member of the armadilloprotein family.
The lower expression of this gene in normal tissues, high expression in NSCLCs, and
reduced growth, proliferation and/or survival of the transfected cells by the suppression of
this gene suggest that this gene might be useful as a novel diagnostic marker and target for

20   new drugs and immunotherapy.   The immunohistochemical staining demonstrated that
PKP3 is strongly stained in the cytoplasm of squamous cell carcinoma cells.   These data
suggest that PKP3 may be a promising therapeutic and diagnostic target for treating lung
cancers.

NSC 948: TASK-2; this gene encodes an ion transporter domain, signal peptide (SOSUI).

25   This gene encodes a protein belonging to the superfamily of potassium channel proteins
containing two pore-forming P domains.   mRNA of this gene is mainly expressed in the
cortical distal tubules and collecting ducts of the kidney.   The protein encoded by the gene
is highly sensitive to external pH and this, in combination with its expression pattern,
suggests that it may play an important role in renal potassium transport.   This

30   transmembrane protein is supposed to be overexpressed on the surface of tumor cells but
not on normal cells.   Thus, the protein may serve as a good target for receptor-targeted
therapy or diagnosis.

NSC 956: SIAHBP1; this gene encodes an RNA recognition motif (RRM) domain, which
is known as a nucleic acid binding domain.   The protein encoded by this gene is a Ro

35   RNS-binding protein.   It interacts with Ro RNPs to activate the function of Ro RNPs.
The protein also forms a ternary complex with a far upstream element (FUSE) and

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FUSE-binding protein.   It can repress a c-myc reporter via the binding with FUSE.   The transcription factor IIH is also known as the target of the protein and the protein inhibits activated transcription.   This gene is implicated in the xeroderma pigmentosum disorder. Two alternatively spliced transcript variants exist for this gene that encode different

5   isoforms.   Multiple polyadenyllation sites seem to exist on this gene.   The lower expression of this gene in normal tissues, high expression in NSCLCs, and reduced growth, proliferation and/or survival of the transfected cells by the suppression of this gene suggest that this gene might be useful as a novel diagnostic marker and target for new drugs and immunotherapy.

10   NSC 991: DOLPP1; this gene encodes a transmembrane domain and an acid phosphatase homologues domain.   The transmembrane protein encoded by the gene is supposed to be overexpressed on the surface of tumor cells but not on normal cells.   Thus, the protein may serve as a good target for receptor-targeted therapy or diagnosis.
       NSC 994: DKFZP434E2318; this gene encodes a BTB/POZ domain and a Kelch domain.

15   The BTB/POZ domain is known to be a protein-protein interaction motif.   The BTB/POZ domain mediates homomeric dimerization and also, in some instances, heteromeric dimerization.   The POZ domain of several zinc finger proteins have been shown to mediate transcriptional repression and to interact components of histone deacetylase co-repressor complexes including N-CoR and SMART.   The Kelch domain is a beta

20   propeller domain involved in protein-protein interactions and have some enzymatic activities like gycolate oxidase.   The lower expression of this gene in normal tissues, high expression in NSCLCs, and reduced growth, proliferation and/or survival of the transfected cells by the suppression of this gene suggest that this gene might be useful as a novel diagnostic marker and target for new drugs and immunotherapy.

25   NSC 1000: PSK-1; this gene encodes a signal peptide, a CUB domain, a Sushi domain (SCR repeat) and one transmembrane domain.   The protein encoded by the gene is highly similar to murin Sez6, an adhesion protein which contains five sushi (SCR) domains and an extracellular CUB domain.   This transmembrane protein is supposed to be overexpressed on the surface of tumor cells but not on normal cells.   Thus, the protein

30   may serve as a good target for receptor-targeted therapy or diagnosis.
       NSC 1066: MCM8; this gene encodes an ATPase associated with a variety of cellular activities (AAA) domain and a minichromosome maintenance protein (MCM) domain. The lower expression of this gene in normal tissues and high expression in NSCLCs suggest that this gene might be useful as a novel diagnostic marker and target for new

35   drugs and immunotherapy.
       NSC 1075: URLC4; no known domain was detected to be encoded by the gene.   The

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lower expression of this gene in normal tissues, high expression in NSCLCs, and reduced growth, proliferation and/or survival of the transfected cells by the suppression of this gene suggest that this gene might be useful as a novel diagnostic marker and target for new drugs and immunotherapy.

5   NSC 1103: KCNK1; this gene encodes a protein belonging to the superfamily of potassium channel proteins containing two pore-forming P domain.   The product of this gene has not been shown to be a functional channel.   Other non-pore-forming proteins may be necessary for the activity as the functional channel.   This transmembrane protein is supposed to be overexpressed on the surface of tumor cells but not on normal cells.   Thus,

10   the protein may serve as a good target for receptor-targeted therapy or diagnosis.
     NSC 1107: URLC8; this gene encodes a double-strand RNA binding motif (DSRM) domain.   The lower expression of this gene in normal tissues, high expression in NSCLCs, and reduced growth, proliferation and/or survival of the transfected cells by the suppression of this gene suggest that this gene might be useful as a novel diagnostic

15   marker and target for new drugs and immunotherapy.
     NSC 1113: URLC5; no known domain was detected to be encoded by the gene.   The lower expression of this gene in normal tissues, high expression in NSCLCs, and reduced growth, proliferation and/or survival of the transfected cells by the suppression of this gene suggest that this gene might be useful as a novel diagnostic marker and target for new

20   drugs and immunotherapy.
     NSC 1131:SYNJ2BP; this gene encodes a PDZ transmembrane domain.   The protein encoded by the gene may be a membrane-targeted signaling protein, containing a PDZ domain.   The lower expression of this gene in normal tissues, high expression in NSCLCs, and reduced growth, proliferation and/or survival of the transfected cells by the

25   suppression of this gene suggest that this gene might be useful as a novel diagnostic marker and target for new drugs and immunotherapy.
     NSC 1141: URLC11; this gene encodes 9 transmembrane domains.   The transmembrane protein encoded by the gene is supposed to be overexpressed on the surface of tumor cells but not on normal cells.   Thus, the protein may serve as a good target for receptor-targeted

30   therapy or diagnosis.
     NSC 1142: NAPG; no known domain was detected to be encoded by the gene. The sequence of the predicted 312-amino acid human protein encoded by NAPG is 95% identical to bovine gamma-SNAP.   The NAPG protein mediates platelet exocytosis and controls the membrane fusion event of this process.   The lower expression of this gene in

35   normal tissues, high expression in NSCLCs, and reduced growth, proliferation and/or survival of the transfected cells by the suppression of this gene suggest that this gene might

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be useful as a novel diagnostic marker and target for new drugs and immunotherapy.

NSC 1164:NPTX1; this gene encodes a Pentaxin/C-reactive protein. *NPTX1* is a member of the neuronal pentraxin gene family. Neuronal pentraxin 1 is similar to the rat NP1 gene which encodes a binding protein for the snake venom toxin taipoxin. The protein

5   encoded by the gene was mainly detected in the cytoplasmic granules by the immunocytochemical analysis. The lower expression of this gene in normal tissues and high expression in NSCLCs suggest that this gene might be useful as a diagnostic marker (i.e., for diagnosis using serum or sputum) and therapeutic target for NSCLCs. The immunohistochemical staining demonstrated that NPTX1 is strongly stained in the

10   cytoplasm of adenocarcinoma cells. These data suggested that NPTX1 might be a promising therapeutic and diagnostic target for treating lung cancers.

NSC 1183: BYSL; no known domain was detected to be encoded by the gene. The protein encoded by the gene has a function of bystin, which forms a cell adhesion molecule complex with trophinin (TRO) and TASTIN that may be important for the embryo

15   implantation. The lower expression of this gene in normal tissues, high expression in NSCLCs, and reduced growth, proliferation and/or survival of the transfected cells by the suppression of this gene suggest that this gene might be useful as a novel diagnostic marker and target for new drugs and immunotherapy.

NSC 1185: URLC6; this gene encodes a zinc finger RNA recognition motif domain. The

20   lower expression of this gene in normal tissues, high expression in NSCLCs, and reduced growth, proliferation and/or survival of the transfected cells by the suppression of this gene suggest that this gene might be useful as a novel diagnostic marker and target for new drugs and immunotherapy.

NSC 1191: COX17; the protein encoded by this gene localizes in the mitochondrial

25   intermembrane space (by similarity) and may function to transport copper to the mitochondria. Further, the protein may be required for the expression of cytochrome oxidase. The lower expression of this gene in normal tissues, high expression in NSCLCs, and reduced growth, proliferation and/or survival of the transfected cells by the suppression of this gene suggest that this gene might be useful as a novel diagnostic

30   marker and target for new drugs and immunotherapy.

NSC 1201: SLC7A1; this gene encodes 14 transmembrane domains. The protein encoded by this gene has strong similarity to the murine Rec-1 (Atrc 1) that functions as a cationic amino acid transporter (ecotropic retroviral receptor) which transports arginine, lysine and ornithine across the plasma membrane. This protein was mainly detected in

35   the cytoplasmic membrane and golgi by the immunocytochemical analysis. This transmembrane protein is supposed to be overexpressed on the surface of tumor cells but

not on normal cells.   Thus, the protein may serve as a good target for receptor-targeted therapy or diagnosis.

NSC 1240: FLJ00159; this gene encodes 4 transmembrane domains.   The transmembrane protein encoded by this gene is supposed to be overexpressed on the surface of tumor cells

5   but not on normal cells.   Thus, the protein may serve as a good target for receptor-targeted therapy or diagnosis.

NSC 1246: SUPT3H; this gene encodes a transcription initiation factor αD, a 18kD subunit. The family including the protein encoded by the gene includes the Spt3 yeast transcription factors and the 18kD subunit of the human transcription initiation factor αD (TFαD-18).

10   The determination of the crystal structure revealed an atypical histone fold.   The lower · expression of this gene in normal tissues and high expression in NSCLCs suggest that this gene might be useful as a novel diagnostic marker and target for new drugs and immunotherapy.

NSC 1254: FLJ10815; this gene encodes a transmebmrane amino acid transporter protein.

15   This transmembrane region is found in many amino acid transporters including UNC-47 and MTR.   UNC-47 encodes a vesicular amino butyric acid (GABA) transporter, (VGAT). The protein encode by the gene has a function a little similar to the membrane transporters of the amino acid/auxin permease (AAAP) family.   This transmembrane protein is supposed to be overexpressed on the surface of tumor cells but not on normal cells.   Thus,

20   the protein may serve as a good target for receptor-targeted therapy or diagnosis.

NSC 1265: SLC28A2; this gene encodes an Na+ dependent nucleoside transporter.   The protein encoded by this gene functions as a sodium-coupled nucleoside transporter 2, which transports purine nucleosides and uridine.   This transmembrane protein is supposed to be overexpressed on the surface of tumor cells but not on normal cells.   Thus, the ·

25   protein may serve as a good target for receptor-targeted therapy or diagnosis.

NSC 1273: FLJ32549; no known domain was detected to be encoded by the gene.   The lower expression of this gene in normal tissues, high expression in NSCLCs, and reduced growth, proliferation and/or survival of the transfected cells by the suppression of this gene suggest that this gene might be useful as a novel diagnostic marker and target for new

30   drugs and immunotherapy.

NSC 1288: PTGFRN; this gene encodes a signal peptide, six immunoglobulin domains and one transmembrane domain.   The protein encoded by this gene inhibits the binding of prostaglandin f2-alpha (pgf2-alpha) to its specific fp receptor by decreasing the receptor number rather than the affinity constant.   The protein seems to functionally couple with

35   the prostaglandin f2-alpha receptor.   This protein was mainly detected in the cytoplasmic membrane and golgi by the immunocytochemical analysis.   This transmembrane protein

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is supposed to be overexpressed on the surface of tumor cells but not on normal cells. Thus, the protein may server as a good target for receptor-targeted therapy or diagnosis. NSC 1292: C17orf26; this gene encodes 3 transmembrane domains, a Zinc transporter domain and a signal peptide (SOSUI).   The transmembrane protein encoded by the gene

5   is supposed to be overexpressed on the surface of tumor cells but not on normal cells. Thus, the protein may serve as a good target for receptor-targeted therapy or diagnosis. NSC 1295:ADAM8; this gene encodes a protein homologous to snake disintegrins, Reprolysin family propeptide and Reprolysin (M12B) family zinc metalloprotease. Members of the ADAM family are cell surface proteins with a unique structure possessing

10   both potential adhesion and protease domains.   The extracellular region of ADAM8 shows significant amino acid sequence homology to the hemorrhagic snake venom proteins, including the metalloprotease and disintegrin domains.   The lower expression of this gene in normal tissues and high expression in NSCLCs suggest that this gene might be useful as a diagnostic marker (i.e., for diagnosis using serum or sputum) and therapeutic

15   target for NSCLCs.   The immunohistochemical staining demonstrated that ADAM8 is strongly stained in adenocarcinoma cells.   These data suggested that ADAM8 might be a promising therapeutic and diagnostic target for treating lung cancers.
NSC 1306:ABCA4; this gene encodes a signal peptide and an AAA domain.   The membrane-associated protein encoded by this gene is a member of the superfamily of

20   ATP-binding cassette (ABC) transporters.   The ABC proteins transport various molecules across extra-and intracellular membranes.   The ABC genes are divided into seven distinct subfamilies (ABC1, MDR/TAP, MRP, ALD, OABP, GCN20 and White).   The protein encoded by this gene is a member of the ABC1 subfamily.   Members of the ABC1 subfamily comprise the only major ABC subfamily found exclusively in multicellular

25   eukaryotes.   This protein is a retina-specific ABC transporter which uses N-retinylidene-PE as a substrate.   The protein is exclusively expressed in retina photoreceptor cell, indicating the gene product mediates transport of an essential molecule across the photoreceptor cell membrane.   Mutations in this gene are found in patients who are diagnosed as having Stargardt disease and are associated with retinitis pigmentosa-19

30   and macular degeneration age-related 2.   This transmembrane protein is supposed to be overexpressed on the surface of tumor cells but not on normal cells.   Thus, the protien may serve as a good target for receptor-targeted therapy or diagnosis.
NSC 1343: GPR49; this gene encodes a signal peptide, a Leucine rich repeat N-terminal domain and a 7 transmembrane receptor (rhodopsin family).   The protein encoded by this

35   gene belongs to the G protein-coupled receptor family, which members have a large extracellular region containing leucine-rich receptor.   This transmembrane protein is

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supposed to be overexpressed on the surface of tumor cells but not on normal cells.   Thus,
the protein may serve as a good target for receptor-targeted therapy or diagnosis.

NSC 1362: SCAMP5; this gene encodes 4 transmembrane domains.   The transmembrane
protein encoded by the gene is supposed to be overexpressed on the surface of tumor cells

5   but not on normal cells.   Thus, the protein may serve as a good target for receptor-targeted
therapy or diagnosis.

NSC 1389: NMU; this gene encodes an NMU domain.   Like most active peptides, the
protein encoded by this gene is proteolytically processed from a larger precursor protein.
The mature peptides of the protein are 8 to 25 residues long and its C-terminus is amidated.

10   The protein stimutates muscle contractions, specifically, that of the gastrointestinal tract
and inhibit feeding.   The lower expression of this gene in normal tissues, high expression
in NSCLCs, and reduced growth, proliferation and/or survival of the transfected cells by
the suppression of this gene suggest that this gene might be useful as a novel diagnostic
marker and target for new drugs and immunotherapy.   According to the present study, the

15   NMU protein secreted into the culture medium by stable transfectant, or the active form of
the NMU peptides added into the medium promoted the growth of COS-7 cells in a dose
dependent manner.   According to the immunohistochemical staining, the NMU protein
was strongly stained in the cytoplasm of both adenocarcinoma and squamous cell
carcinoma cells.   These data revealed that NMU might be an important autocrine growth

20   factor for NSCLC and suggested that a promising therapeutic and diagnostic strategy for
treating lung cancers may be developed by focusing on the NMU ligand-receptor system.
Furthermore, the suppression of NMU induced apoptosis in LC319 cells.   Moreover, the
suppression of NMU protein by anti-NMU antibody induced growth suppression compared
with controls in LC319 cells.   These results suggest that lung cancer may be treated using

25   antibody or siRNA targeting NMU.

NSC 1395: FBN2; this gene encodes a Calcium-binding EGF-like (EGF CA) domain and
an EGF like (unclassified subfamily) domain.   The protein encoded by this gene functions
as a fibrillin 2, which is an extracellular matrix protein that may regulate the formation and
maintenance of extracellular microfibrils.   Mutations in FBN2 may cause congenital

30   contractual arachnodactyly.   The lower expression of this gene in normal tissues, high
expression in NSCLCs, and reduced growth, proliferation and/or survival of the transfected
cells by the suppression of this gene suggest that this gene might be useful as a novel
diagnostic marker and target for new drugs and immunotherapy.

NSC 1420: CHDOL; this gene encodes a type I membrane protein with a carbohydrate

35   recognition domain that is characteristic of C-type lectins in its extracellular portion.   In
other proteins, this domain is involved in endocytosis of glycoproteins and exogenous

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sugar-bearing pathogens.   The protein encoded by this gene predominantly localizes to the perinuclear region.   This protein was mainly detected in the cytoplasmic membrane and golgi by the immunocytochemical analysis.   This transmembrane protein is supposed to be overexpressed on the surface of tumor cells but not on normal cells.   Thus, the

5   protein may serve as a good target for receptor-targeted therapy or diagnosis.

NSC 1441: HSNOV1; this gene encodes an intergral membrane protein DFU6 domain. The protein encoded by this gene was mainly detected in the cytoplasmic membrane and golgi by the immunocytochemical analysis.   This transmembrane protein is supposed to be overexpressed on the surface of tumor cells but not on normal cells.   Thus, the protein

10   may serve as a good target for receptor-targeted therapy or diagnosis.

Industrial Applicability

The gene-expression analysis on non-small cell lung cancer described herein, obtained through a combination of laser-capture dissection and genome-wide cDNA

15   microarray, has identified specific genes as targets for prevention and therapy of non-small cell lung cancer.   Based on the expression of a subset of these differentially expressed genes, the present invention provides molecular diagnostic markers for identifying or detecting non-small cell lung cancer.

The methods described herein are also useful in the identification of additional

20   molecular targets for prevention, diagnosis and treatment of non-small cell lung cancer. The data reported herein add to a comprehensive understanding of non-small cell lung cancer, facilitate development of novel diagnostic strategies and provide clues for identification of molecular targets for therapeutic drugs and preventative agents.   Such information contributes to a more profound understanding of carcinogenesis, and provides

25   indicators for developing novel strategies for diagnosis, treatment and ultimately prevention of non-small cell lung cancer.

While the invention has been described in detail and with reference to specific embodiments thereof, it will be apparent to one skilled in the art that various changes and modifications can be made therein without departing from the spirit and scope of the

30   invention.

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CLAIMS

1.   A method of diagnosing non-small cell lung cancer or a predisposition to developing non-small cell lung cancer in a subject, comprising determining an expression level of a non-small cell lung cancer-associated gene in a biological sample derived from the subject, wherein an increase or decrease of said level compared to a normal control level of said gene indicates that said subject suffers from or is at risk of developing non-small cell lung cancer.

2.   The method of claim 1, wherein said non-small cell lung cancer-associated gene is selected from the group consisting of NSC 807-1448, wherein an increase in said level compared to a normal control level indicates said subject suffers from or is at risk of developing non-small cell lung cancer.

3.   The method of claim 2, wherein said increase is at least 10% greater than said normal control level.

4.   The method of claim 1, wherein said non-small cell lung cancer-associated gene is selected from the group consisting of NSC 1-806, wherein a decrease in said level compared to a normal control level indicates said subject suffers from or is at risk of developing non-small cell lung cancer.

5.   The method of claim 4, wherein said decrease is at least 10% lower than said normal control level.

6.   The method of claim 1, wherein said method further comprises determining said level of a plurality of non-small cell lung cancer-associated genes.

7.   The method of claim 1, wherein said level is determined by any one method select from the group consisting of:
   (1) detecting the mRNA of the non-small cell lung cancer-associated genes;
   (2) detecting the protein encoded by the non-small cell lung cancer-associated genes; and
   (3) detecting the biological activity of the protein encoded by the non-small cell lung cancer-associated genes.

8.   The method of claim 1, wherein said level is determined by detecting hybridization of a non-small cell lung cancer-associated gene probe to a gene transcript of said patient-derived biological sample.

9.   The method of claim 8, wherein said hybridization step is carried out on a DNA array.

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10.   The method of claim 1, wherein said biological sample comprises sputum or blood.

11.   A non-small cell lung cancer reference expression profile, comprising a pattern of gene expression of two or more genes selected from the group consisting of NSC 1-1448.

5   12.   A method of identifying a compound that inhibits the expression or activity of a non-small cell lung cancer-associated gene, comprising the steps of:
       (1) contacting a test cell expressing said non-small cell lung cancer-associated gene with a test compound;
       (2) detecting the expression level of said non-small cell lung cancer-associated gene; and
10   (3) determining the compound that suppresses said expression level compared to a normal control level of said gene as an inhibitor of said non-small cell lung cancer-associated gene.

13.   The method of claim 12, wherein said test cell is NSCLC cell.

14.   A method of identifying a compound that enhances the expression or activity of a
15   non-small cell lung cancer-associated gene, comprising the steps of:

       (1) contacting a test cell expressing said non-small cell lung cancer-associated gene with a test compound;
       (2) detecting the expression level of said non-small cell lung cancer-associated gene; and
       (3) determining the compound that increases said expression level compared to a normal
20   control level of said gene as an enhancer of said non-small cell lung cancer-associated gene.

15.   The method of claim 14, wherein said test cell is NSCLC cell.

16.   A method of screening for a compound for treating or preventing non-small cell lung cancer, said method comprising the steps of:
25   (1) contacting a test compound with a polypeptide encoded by a polynucleotide selected from the group consisting of NSC 1-1448;
       (2) detecting the binding activity between the polypeptide and the test compound; and
       (3) selecting a compound that binds to the polypeptide.

17. A method of screening for a compound for treating or preventing non-small cell lung
30   cancer, said method comprising the steps of:
       (a) contacting a test compound with a polypeptide encoded by a polynucleotide selected from the group consisting of NSC 1-1448;

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(b) detecting the biological activity of the polypeptide of step (a); and

(c) selecting a compound that suppresses the biological activity of the polypeptide
encoded by the polynucleotide selected from the group consisting of NSC 807-1448
in comparison with the biological activity detected in the absence of the test
compound, or enhances the biological activity of the polypeptide encoded by the
polynucleotide selected from the group consisting of NSC 1-806 in comparison with
the biological activity detected in the absence of the test compound.

18. The method of claim 17, wherein said biological activity is cell proliferative activity.

19 A method of screening for a compound for treating or preventing non-small cell lung
cancer, said method comprising the steps of:

(1) contacting a test compound with a cell expressing one or more marker genes, wherein
the one or more marker genes is selected from the group consisting of NSC 1-1448;
and

(2) selecting a compound that reduces the expression level of one or more marker genes
selected from the group consisting of NSC 807-1448, or elevates the expression level
of one or more marker genes selected from the group consisting of NSC 1-806.

20. The method of claim 19, wherein said cell is NSCLC cell.

21. A method of screening for compound for treating or preventing non-small cell lung
cancer, said method comprising the steps of:

(1) contacting a test compound with a cell into which a vector comprising the
transcriptional regulatory region of one or more marker genes and a reporter gene
that is expressed under the control of the transcriptional regulatory region has been
introduced, wherein the one or more marker genes are selected from the group
consisting of NSC 1-1448;

(2) measuring the activity of said reporter gene; and

(3) selecting a compound that reduces the expression level of said reporter gene when
said marker gene is an up-regulated marker gene selected from the group consisting
of NSC 807-1448 or that enhances the expression level of said reporter gene when
said marker gene is a down-regulated marker gene selected from the group consisting
of NSC 1-806, as compared to a control.

22. A kit comprising two or more detection reagents which binds to one or more genes
selected from the group consisting of NSC 1-1448 or polypeptides encoded thereby.

23. An array comprising two or more polynucleotides which bind to one or more genes

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selected from the group consisting of NSC 1-1448.

24. A method of treating or preventing non-small cell lung cancer in a subject comprising administering to said subject an antisense composition, said composition comprising a nucleotide sequence complementary to a coding sequence of a gene selected from the group consisting of NSC 807-1448.

25. A method of treating or preventing non-small cell lung cancer in a subject comprising administering to said subject an siRNA composition, wherein said composition reduces the expression of a gene selected from the group consisting of NSC 807-1448.

26. A method for treating or preventing non-small cell lung cancer in a subject comprising the step of administering to said subject a pharmaceutically effective amount of an antibody or fragment thereof that binds to a polypeptide encoded by a gene selected from the group consisting of NSC 807-1448.

27. A method of treating or preventing non-small cell lung cancer in a subject comprising administering to said subject a vaccine comprising a polypeptide encoded by a gene selected from the group consisting of NSC 807-1448 or an immunologically active fragment of said polypeptide, or a polynucleotide encoding the polypeptide.

28. A method of treating or preventing non-small cell lung cancer in a subject comprising administering to said subject a compound that increases the expression or activity of a gene selected from the group consisting of NSC 1-806.

29. A method for treating or preventing non-small cell lung cancer in a subject, said method comprising the step of administering a compound that is obtained by the method according to any one of claims 12-21.

30. A method of treating or preventing non-small cell lung cancer in a subject comprising administering to said subject a pharmaceutically effective amount of a polynucleotide select from the group consisting of NSC 1-806, or polypeptide encoded thereby

31. A composition for treating or preventing non-small cell lung cancer, said composition comprising a pharmaceutically effective amount of an antisense polynucleotide or siRNA against a gene selected from the group consisting of NSC 807-1448.

32. A composition for treating or preventing non-small cell lung cancer, said composition comprising a pharmaceutically effective amount of an antibody or fragment thereof that binds to a polypeptide encoded by a gene selected from the group consisting of NSC .
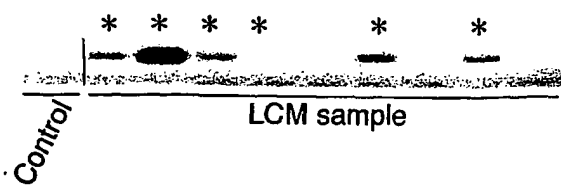
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33. A composition for treating or preventing non-small cell lung cancer, said composition
comprising a pharmaceutically effective amount of the compound selected by the
method of any one of claims 12-21 as an active ingredient, and a pharmaceutically
5   acceptable carrier.

34. An substantially pure polypeptide selected from the group consisting of:
   (a) a polypeptide comprising an amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO: 2;
   (b) a polypeptide that comprises the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO: 2 in which up
       to 5% of the amino acids are substituted, deleted, inserted and/or added and that has a
10   biological activity equivalent to a protein consisting of the amino acid sequence of
       SEQ ID NO: 2; and
   (c) a polypeptide encoded by a polynucleotide that hybridizes under stringent conditions
       to a gene consisting of the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO: 1 wherein the
       polypeptide has a biological activity equivalent to a protein consisting of the amino
15   acid sequence of SEQ ID NO: 2.

35. An isolated polynucleotide encoding the polypeptide of claim 34.

36. The isolated polynucleotide of claim 35 comprising the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID
    NO: 1.

37. A vector comprising the polynucleotide of claim 35.

20   38. A host cell harboring the polynucleotide of claim 35 or a vector comprising the
    polynucleotide.

39. A method for producing the polypeptide of claim 34, said method comprising the steps
    of:
   (1) culturing the host cell harboring a polynucleotide encoding the polypeptide of claim
25   34 or a vector comprising the polynucleotide;
   (2) allowing the host cell to express the polypeptide; and
   (3) collecting the expressed polypeptide.

40. An antibody binding to the polypeptide of claim 34.

41. A polynucleotide that is complementary to the polynucleotide of claim 35 or to the
30   complementary strand thereof and that comprises at least 15 nucleotides.

42. An antisense polynucleotide or siRNA against the polynucleotide of claim 35.

43. An antisense polynucleotide selected from the group consisting of polynucleotides comprising the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO: 423, 425, 427, 429, 431, 433, 435, 437, 439, 441, 443, 445, 447, 449, 451, 453, 455, 457, 459, 461, 463, 465, 467, 469, 471, 473, 475, 477, 479, 481, 483, 485, 487, 489, 491, 493, 495, 497, 499, 501, 503, 505, 507, 509, 511, 513, 515, 517, 519, 521, 523, 525, 527, 529, or 531.

44. An siRNA selected from the group consisting of the polynucleotides comprising the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO: 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, and 552 as the target sequence.

45. A composition for treating or preventing non-small cell lung cancer, said composition comprising a pharmaceutically effective amount of the antisense polynucleotide of claim 43.

46. A composition for treating or preventing non-small cell lung cancer, said composition comprising a pharmaceutically effective amount of the siRNA of claim 44.

47. A method for treating or preventing non-small cell lung cancer in a subject comprising administering to said subject the antisense composition of claim 45.

48. A method for treating or preventing non-small cell lung cancer in a subject comprising administering to said subject the siRNA composition of claim 46.

49. A pharmaceutical composition for treating or preventing a non-small cell lung cancer, said composition comprising a pharmaceutically effective amount of the polypeptide of claim 34, or a polynucleotide encoding the polypeptide.

50. The pharmaceutical composition of claim 49, wherein the polynucleotide is incorporated in an expression vector.

51. A method for inducing anti tumor immunity, said method comprising the step of administering a polypeptide encoded by a gene selected from the group consisting of NSC 807-1448 or an immunologically active fragment of said polypeptide, or a polynucleotide encoding the polypeptide or fragment.

52. The method for inducing anti tumor immunity of claim 51, wherein the method further comprising the step of administering the antigen presenting cells to a subject.
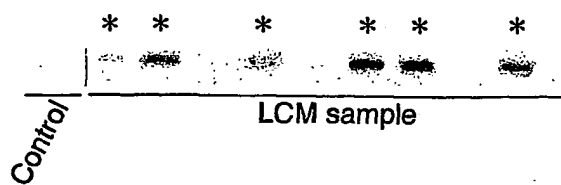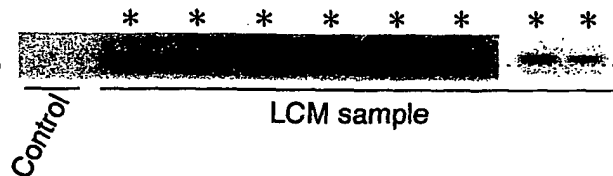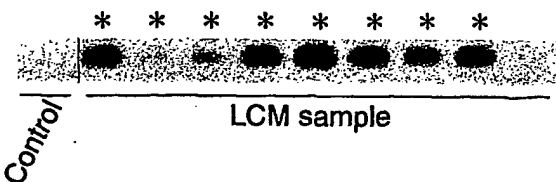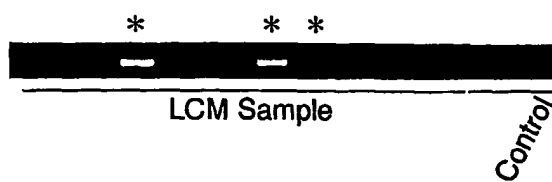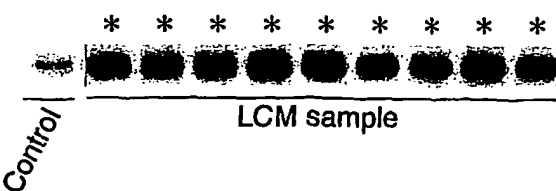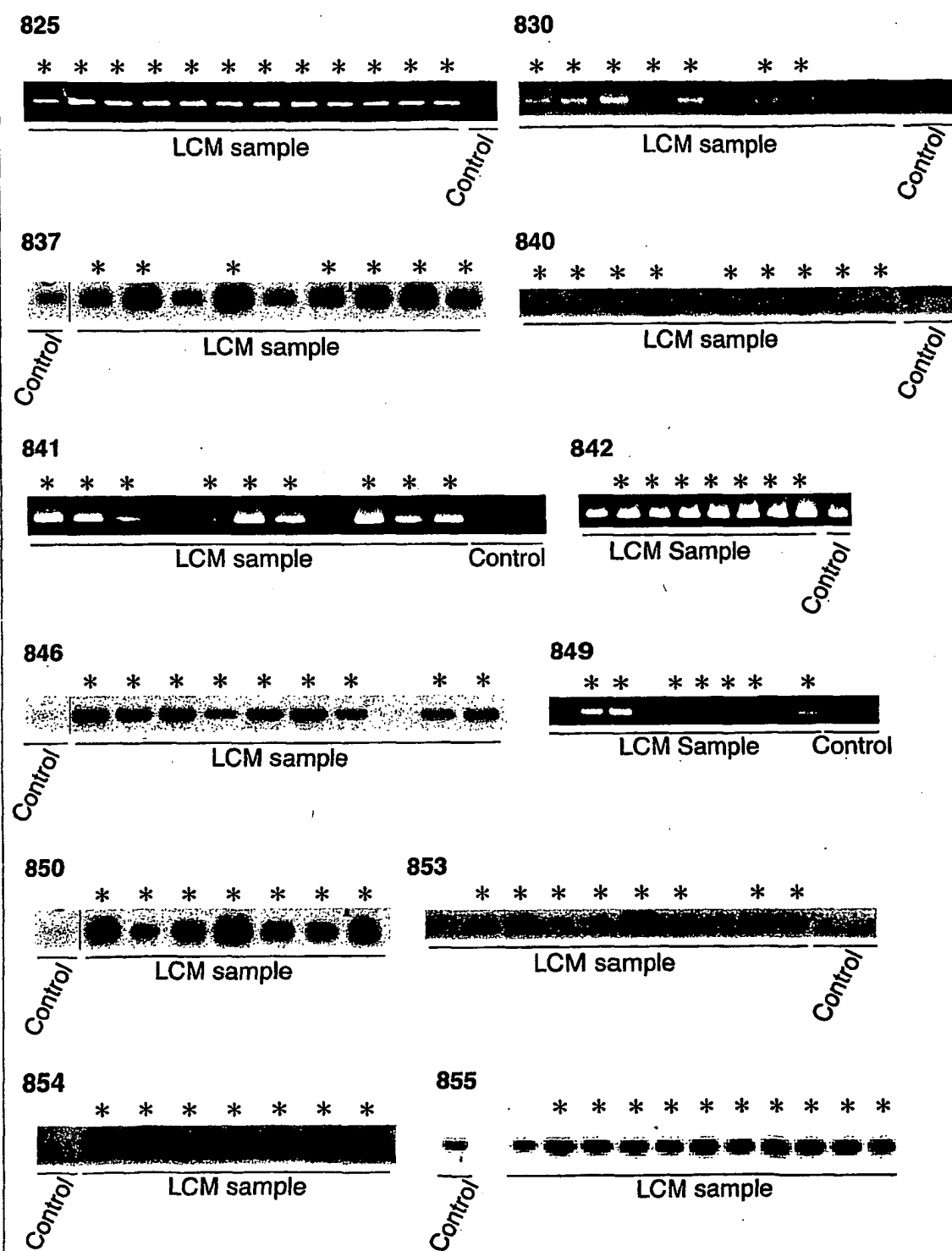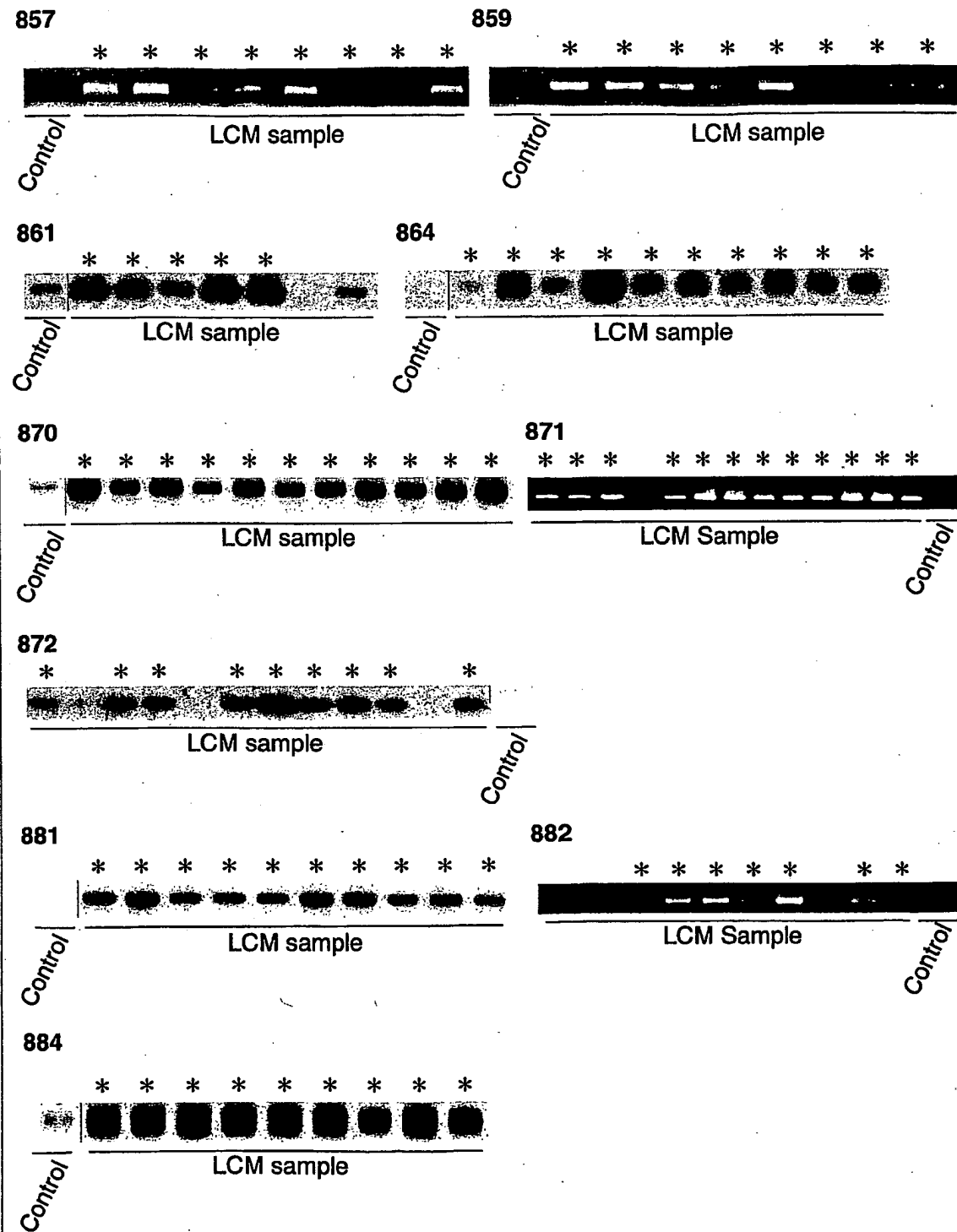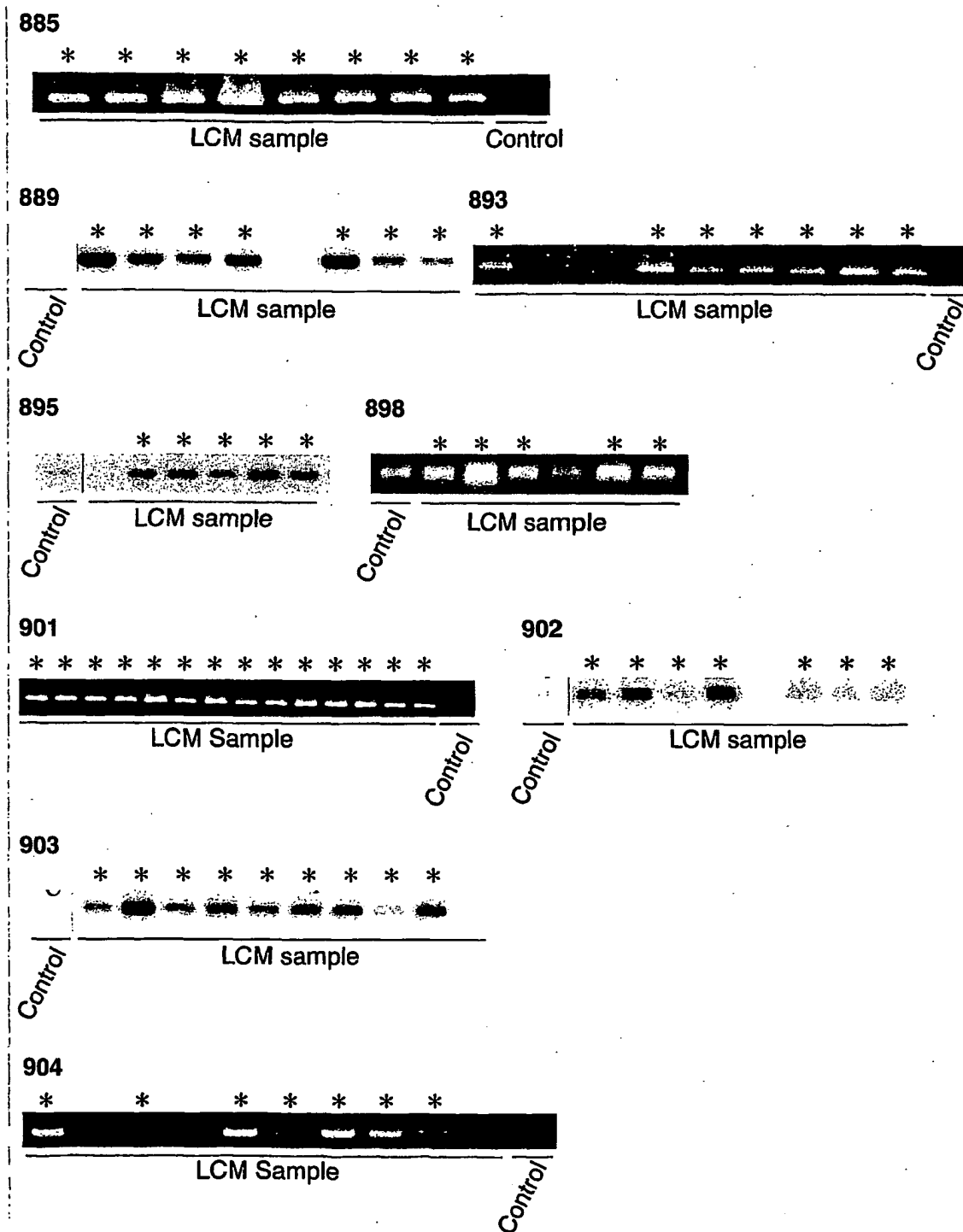
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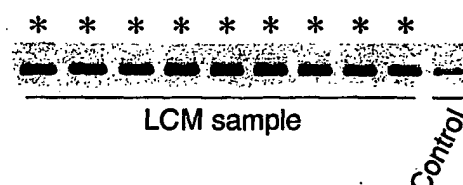Fig. 1-2
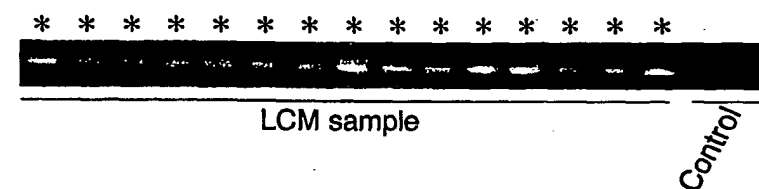
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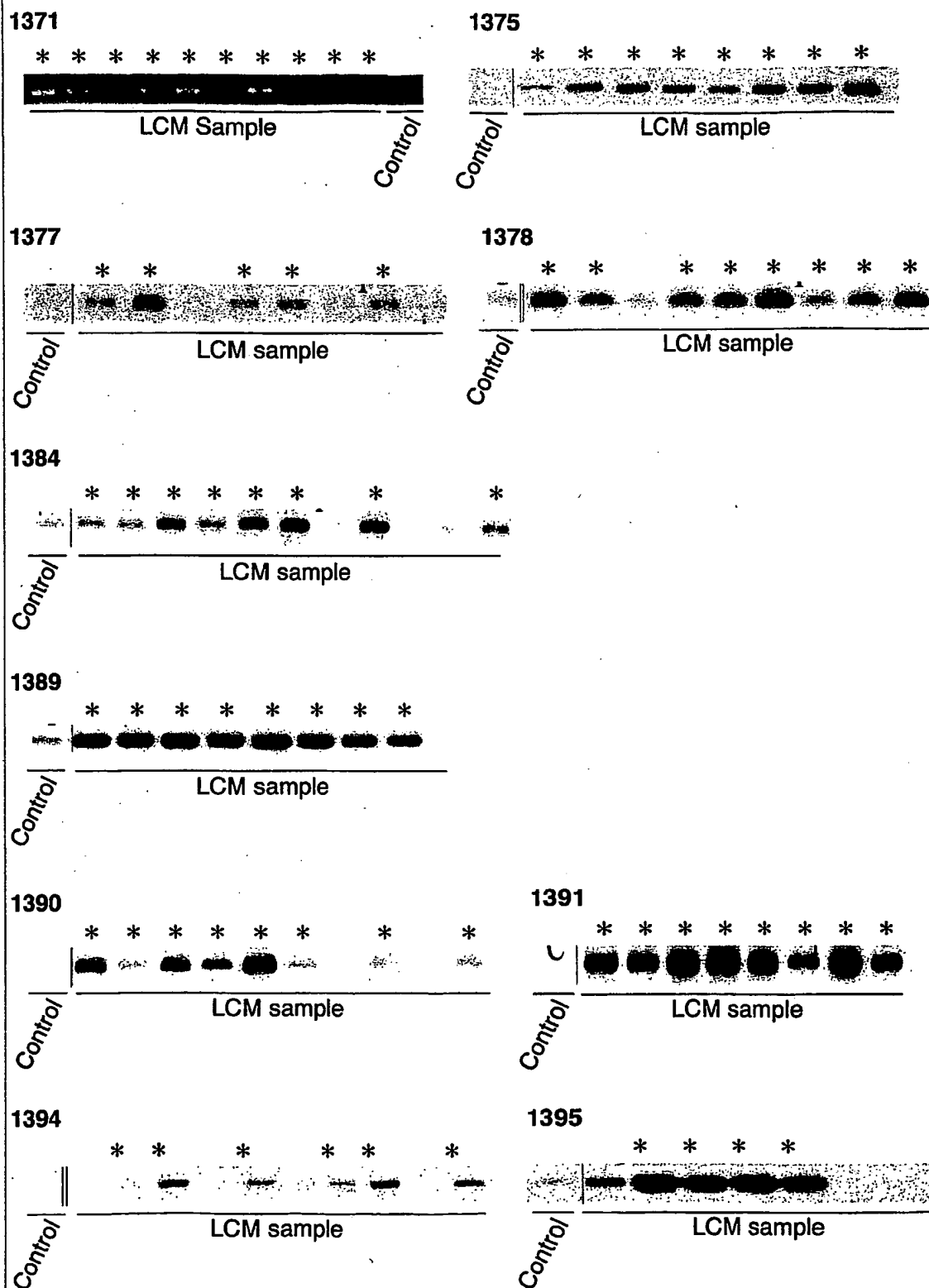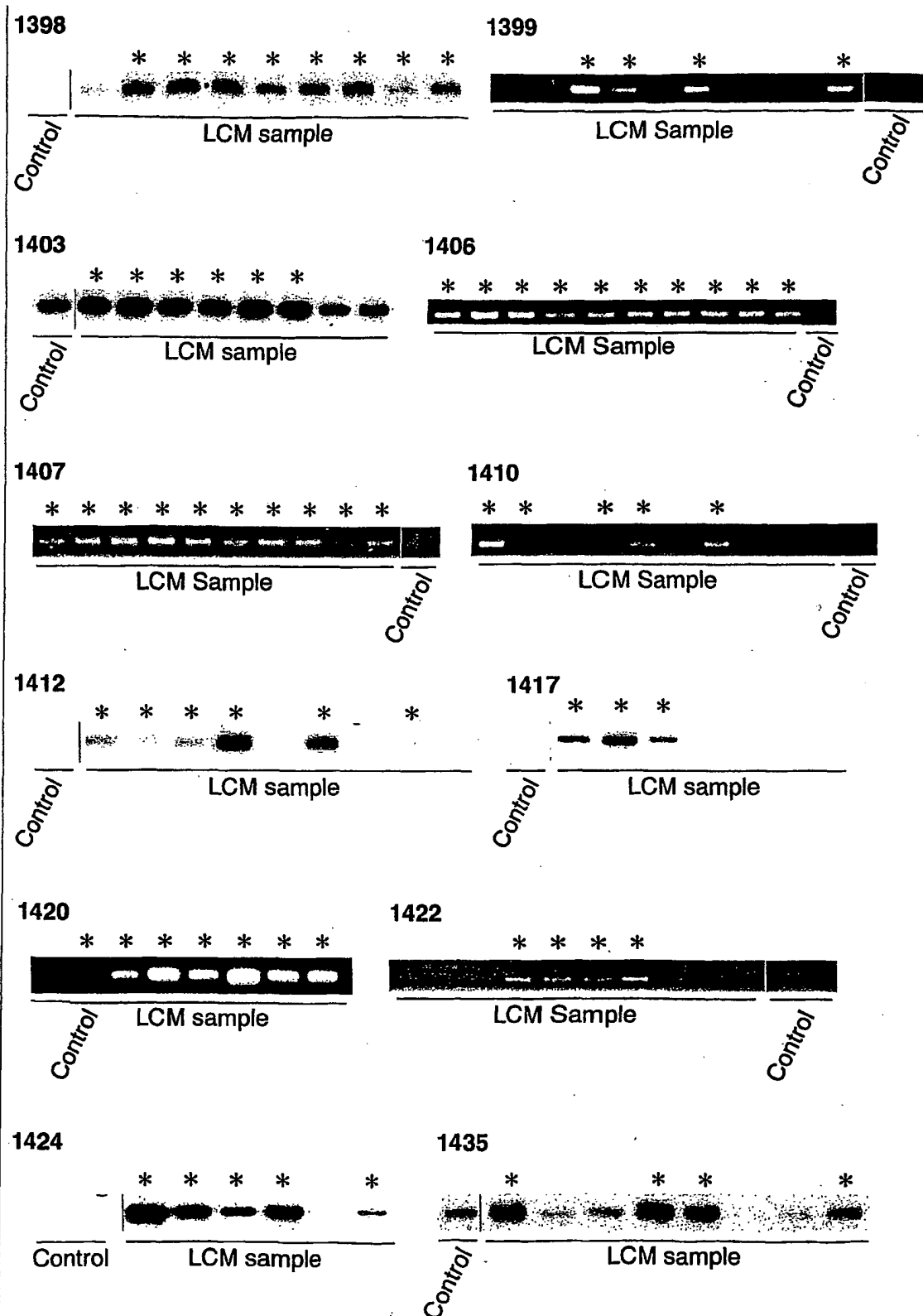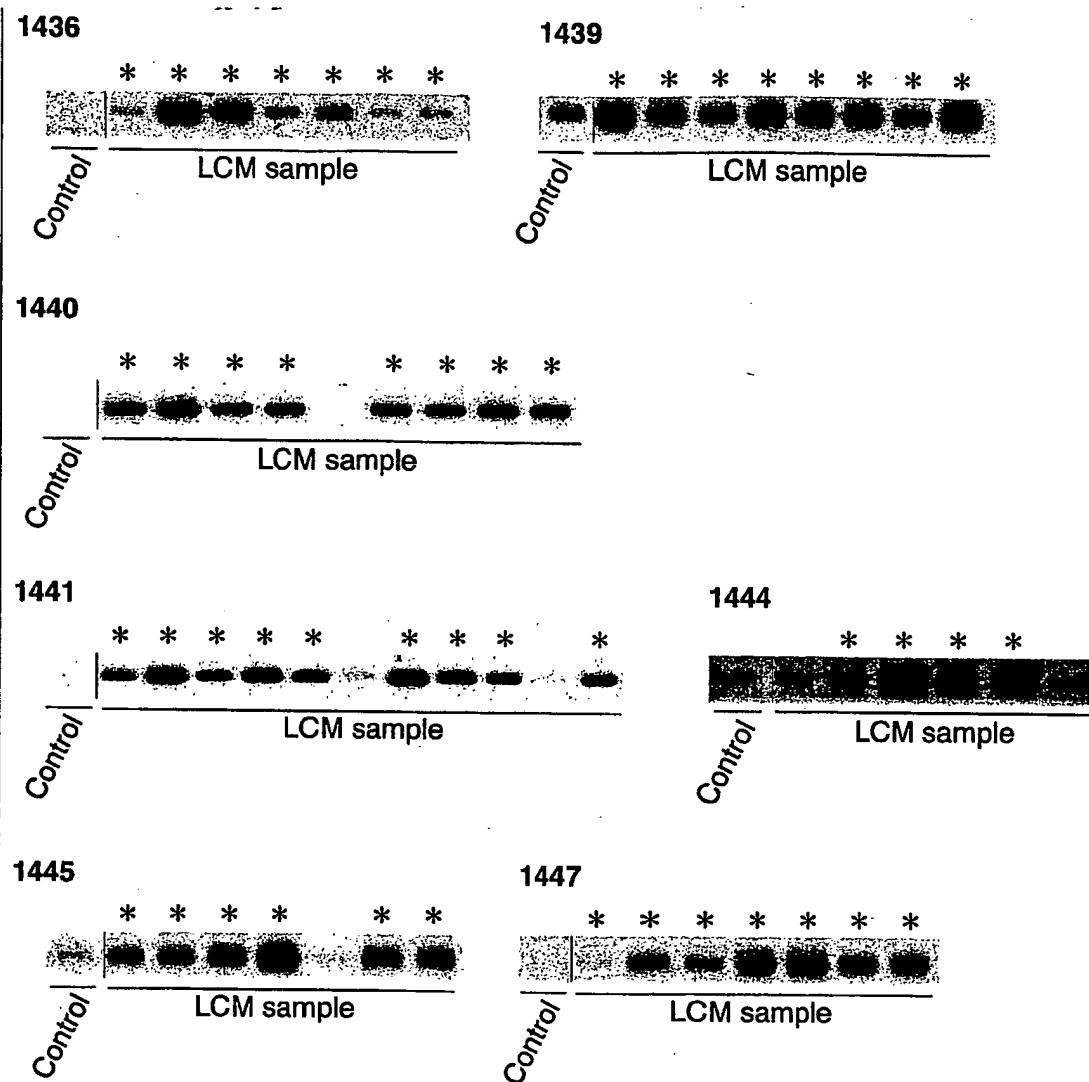
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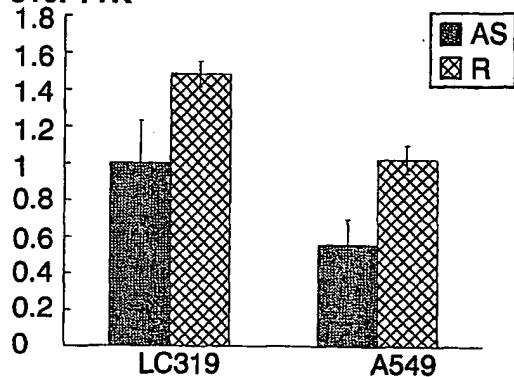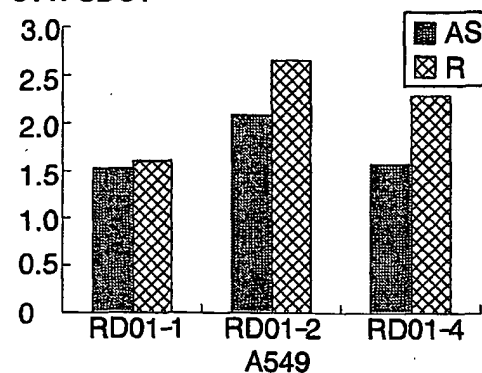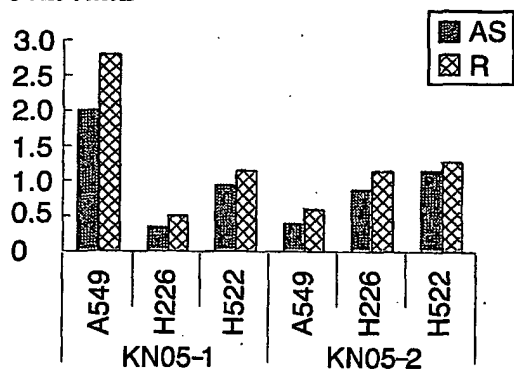
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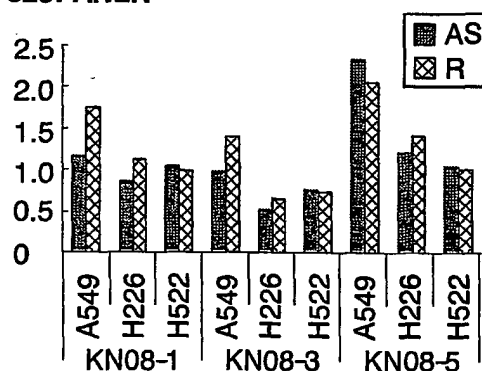
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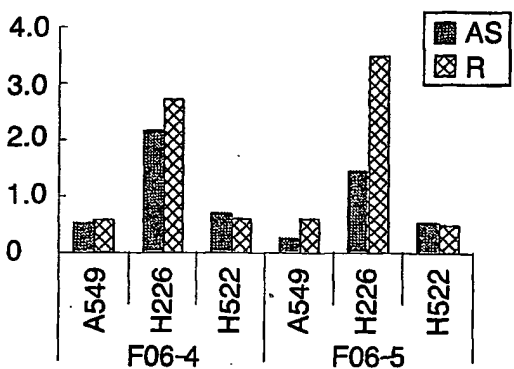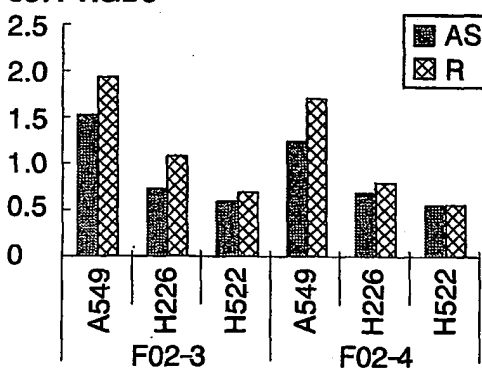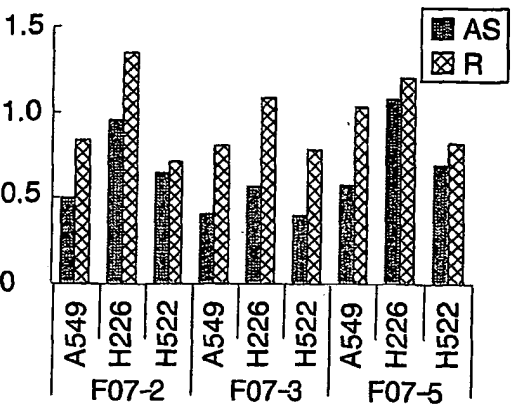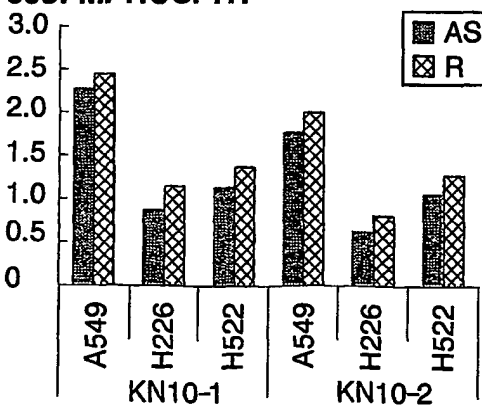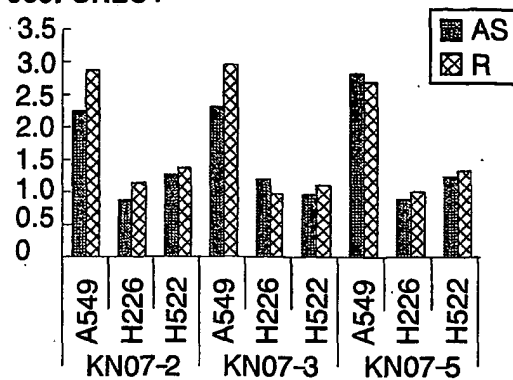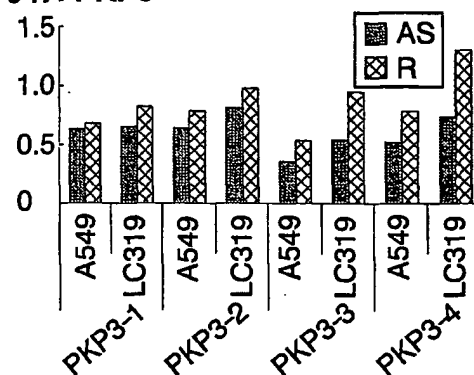
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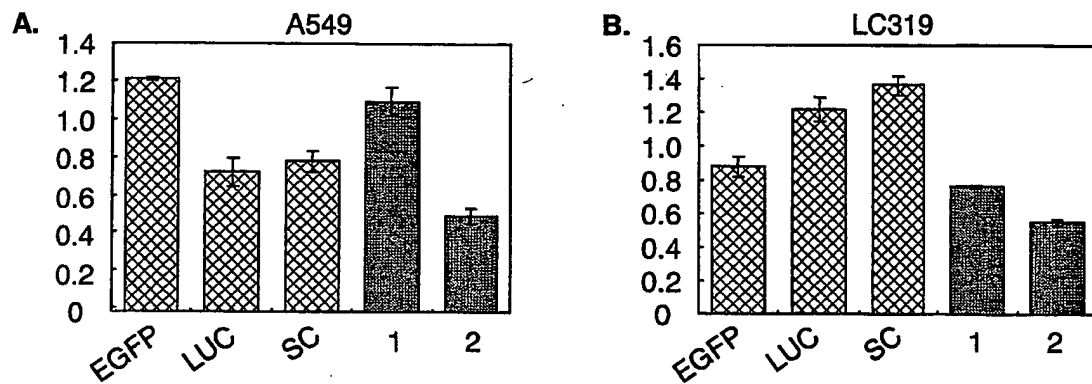
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A.

B.

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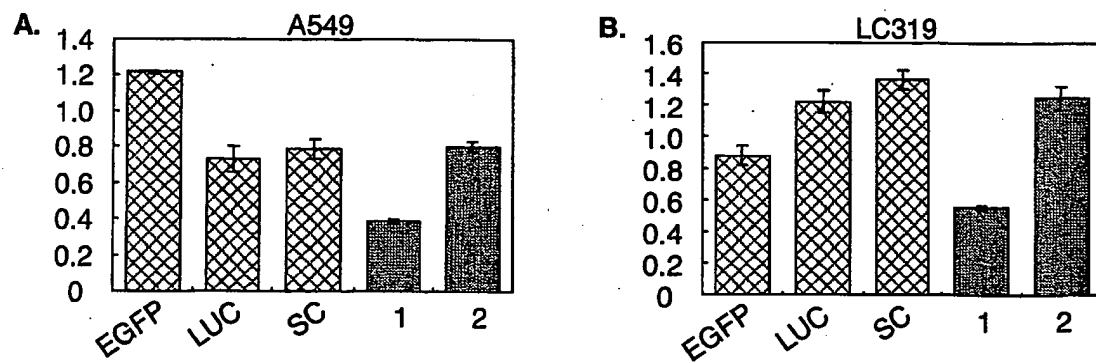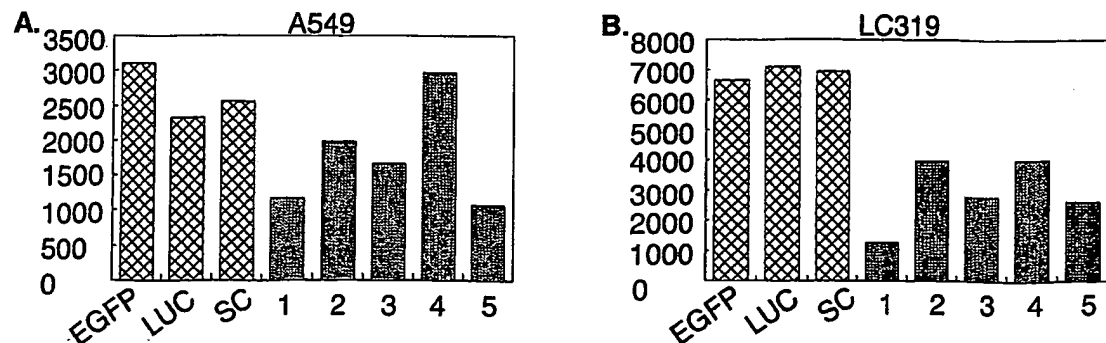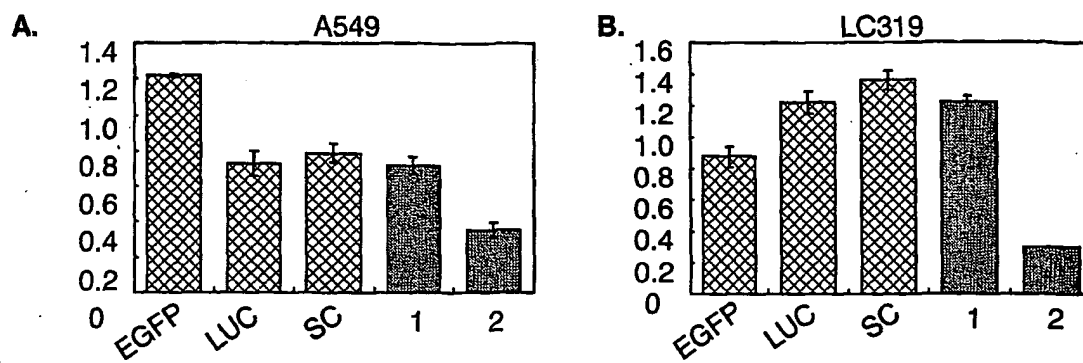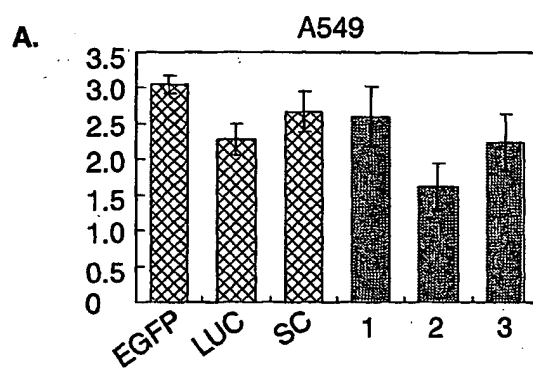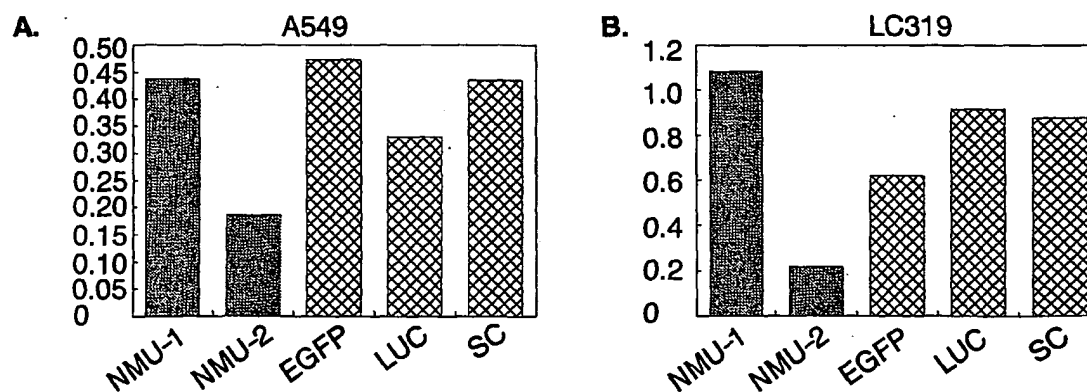
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day 6   day 7   day 8

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EGFP   B8870-2
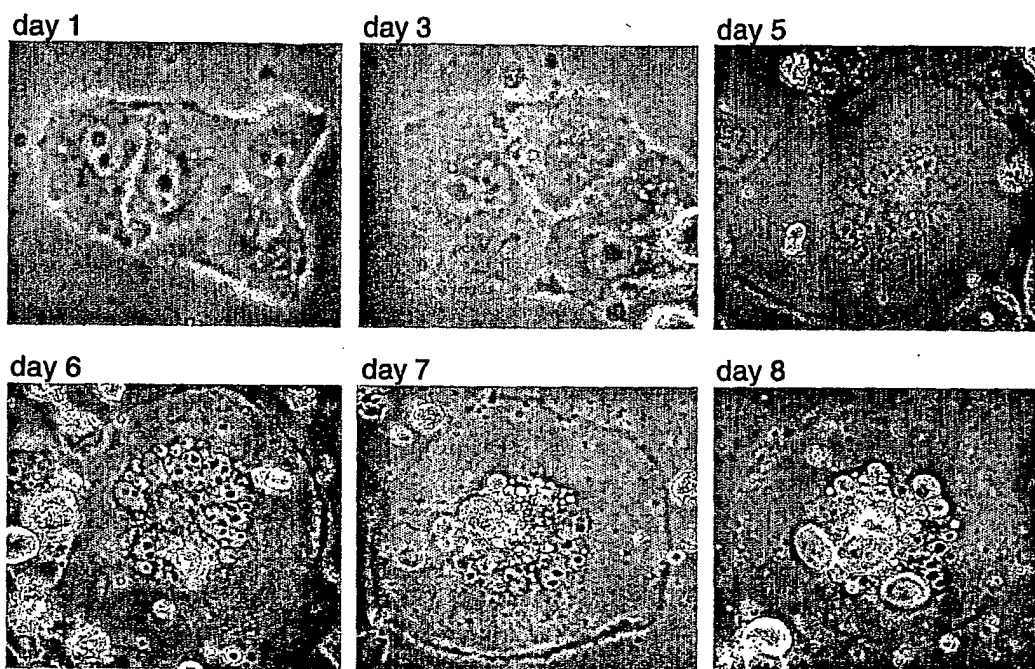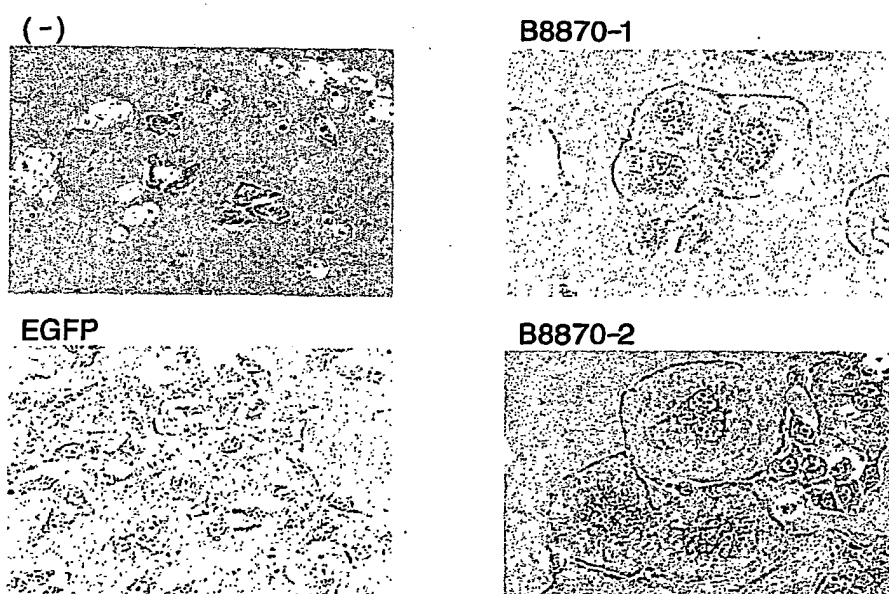
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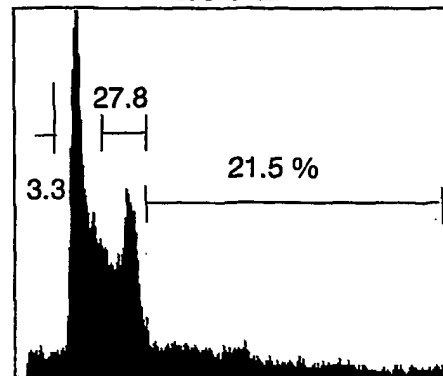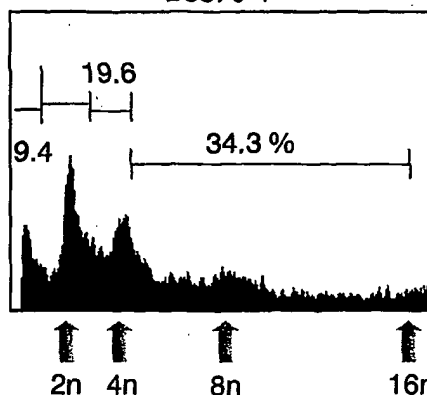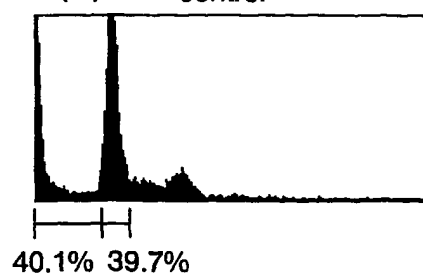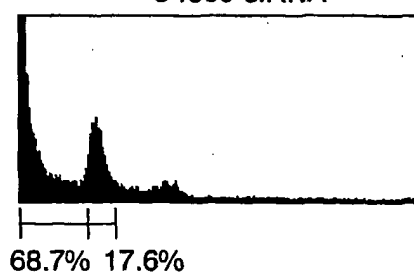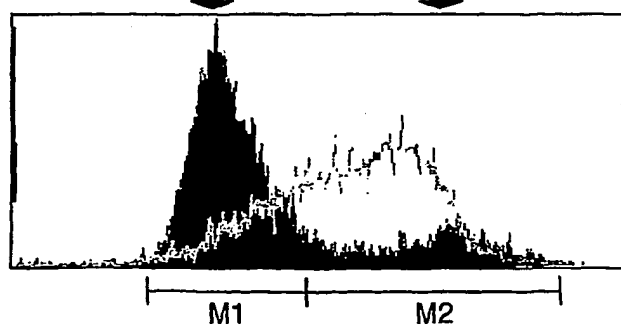
Fig. 3-6

D. Flow cytometry analysis

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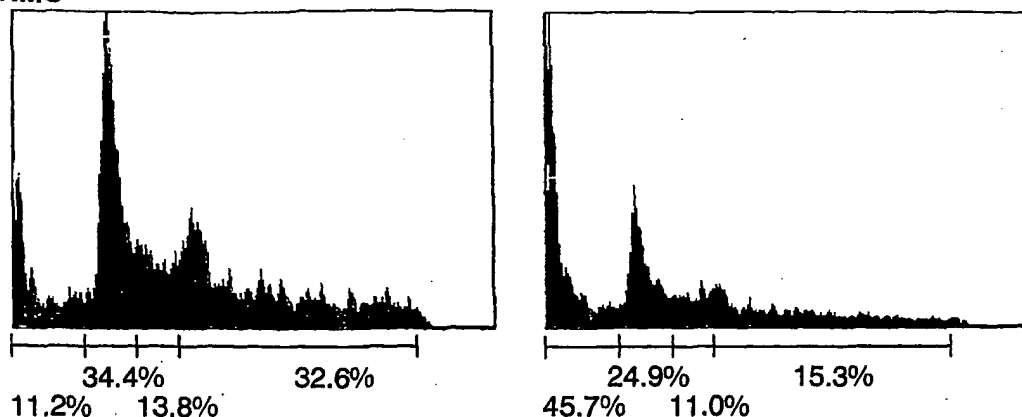
E. Western blot

810: TTK

| RNAi
TTK-1 | RNAi
TTK-2 | SCR | LC319 | HeLa |

Anti-TTK Ab1
(monoclonal)

Anti-TTK Ab2
(monoclonal)

ACTB

LC319   G418 Selection: day 6
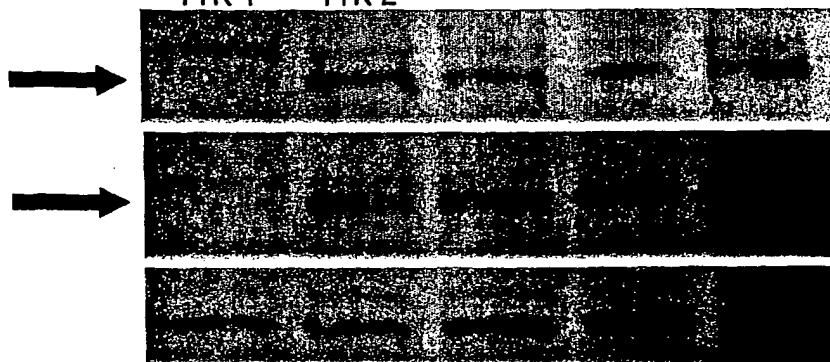
F. Cytochrome c oxidase activity

1191: COX17

| mitochondria fraction | + | ferric cytochrome c
↓ ascorbic acid
ferrous cytochrome |

↓

Detection of CCO activity
(absorbance at 550nm)

G. Blot : anti human Mitochondria Ab

1191: COX17

| EGFP | Luc | si1 | si2 |
| C   M | C   M | C   M | C   M |
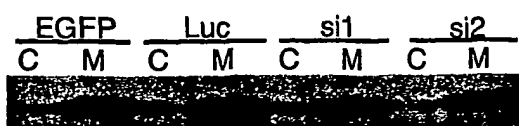
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H. 1191: COX17
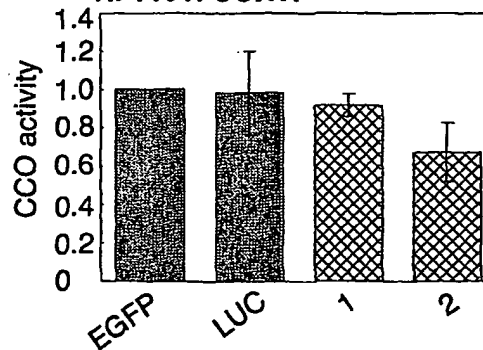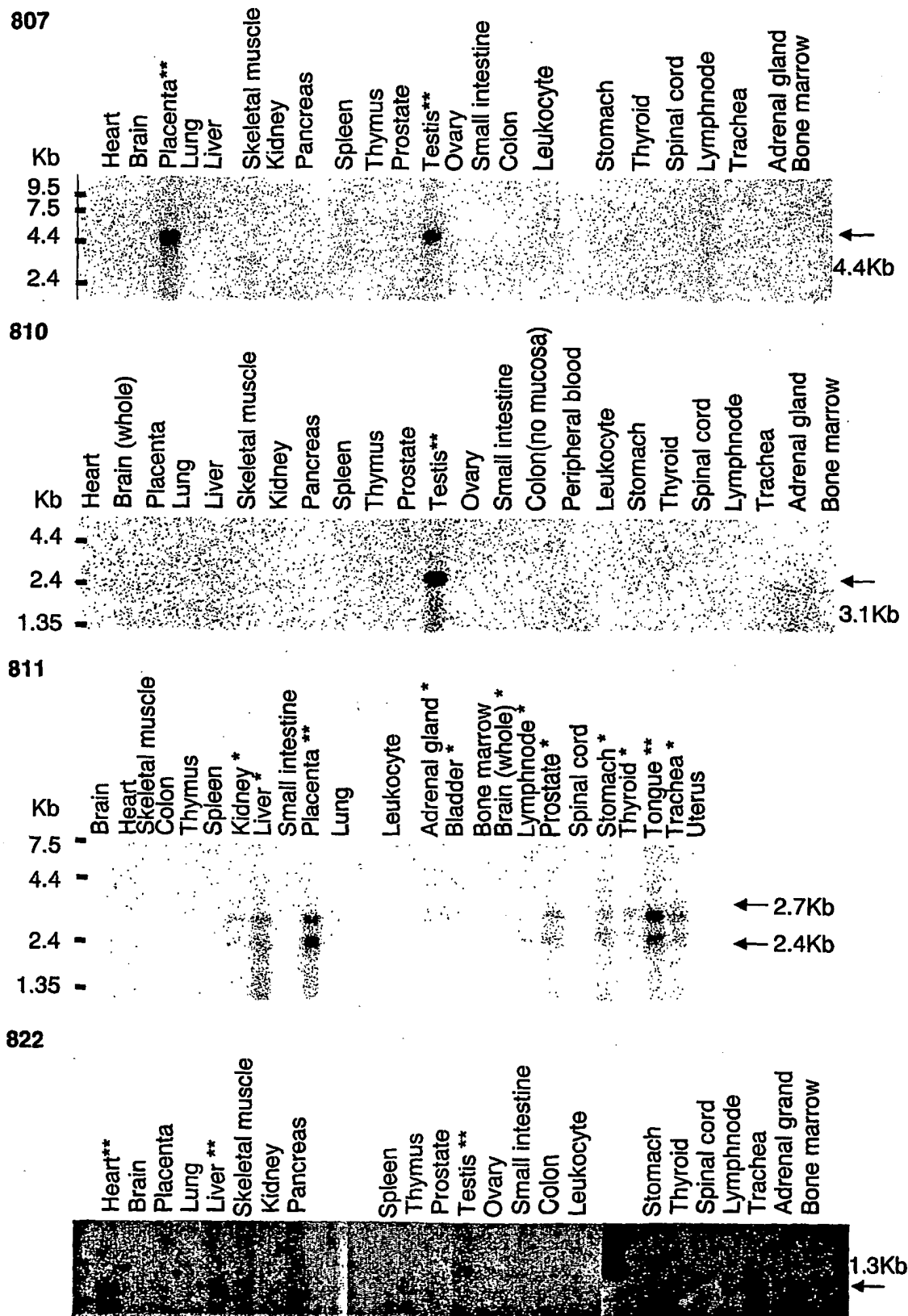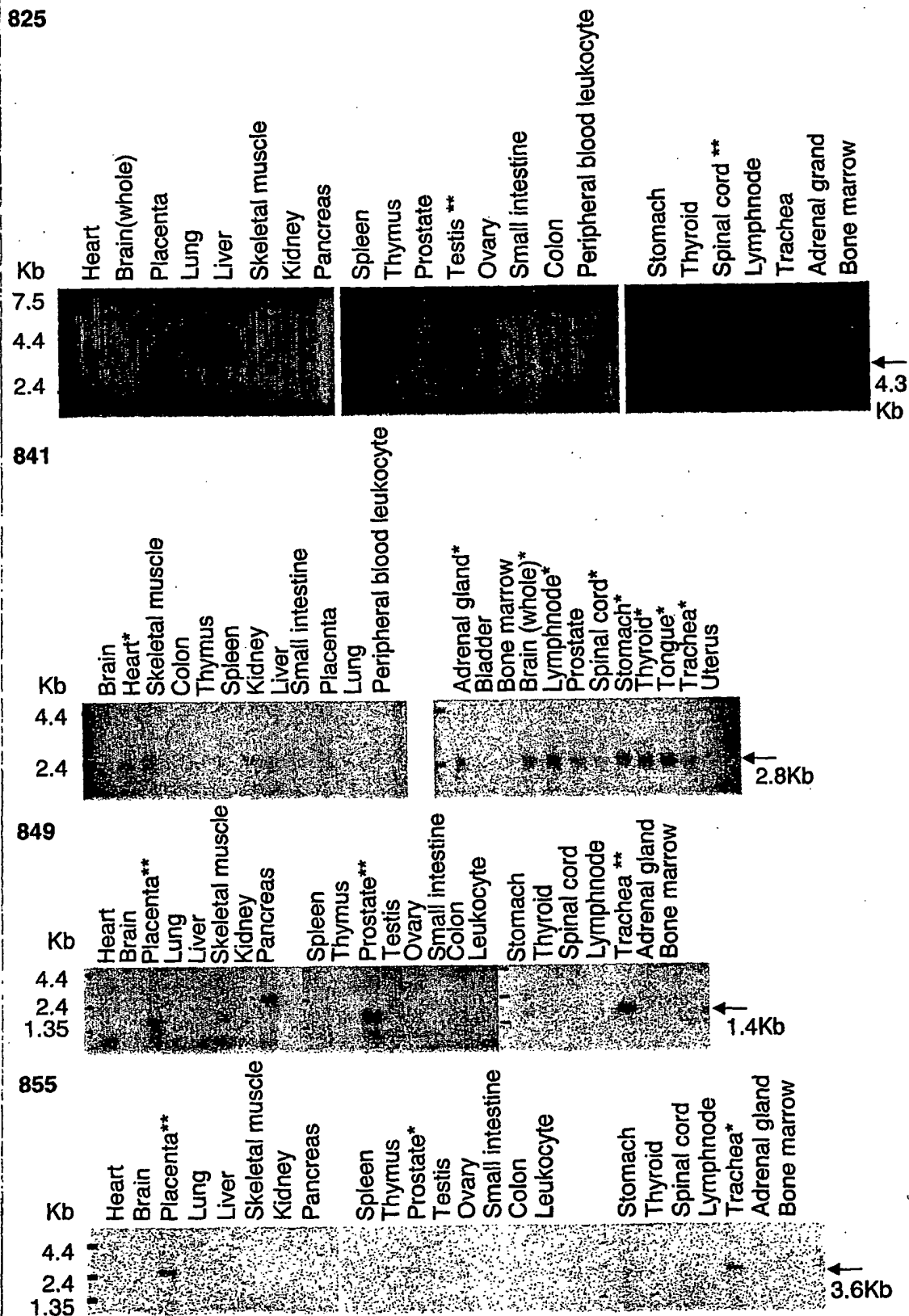
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Fig. 4-2

Fig. 4-3

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Fig. 4-5

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Fig. 4-6

Fig. 4-7

Fig. 4-8

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2.9Kb

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5.2Kb

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2.0kb

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7.8Kb
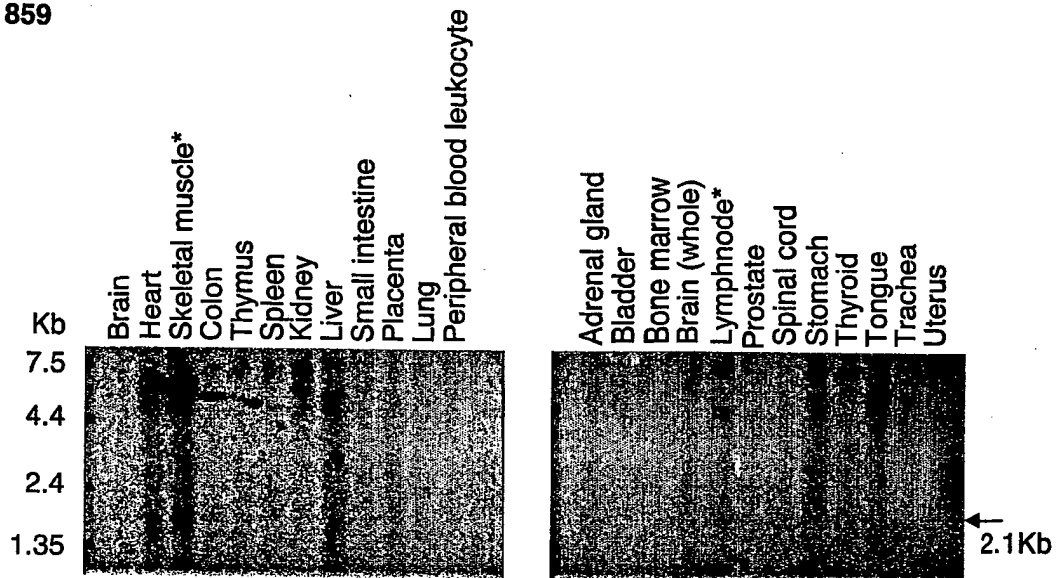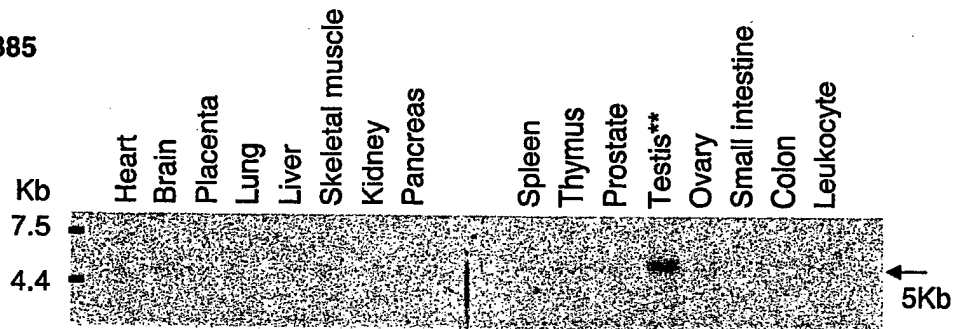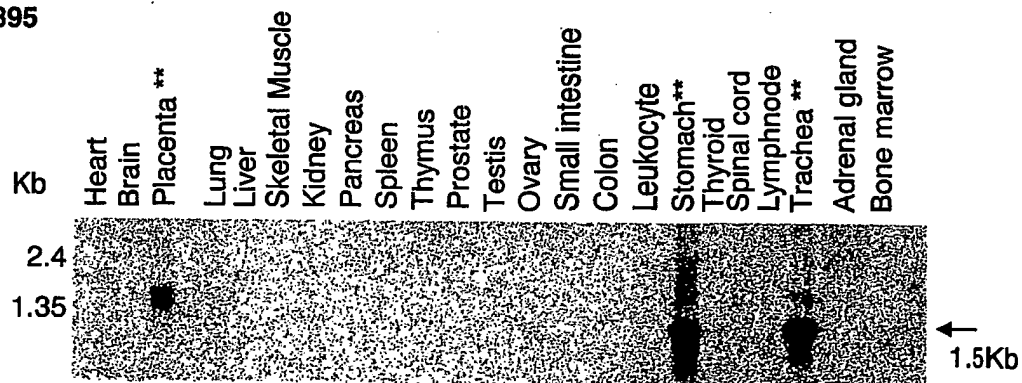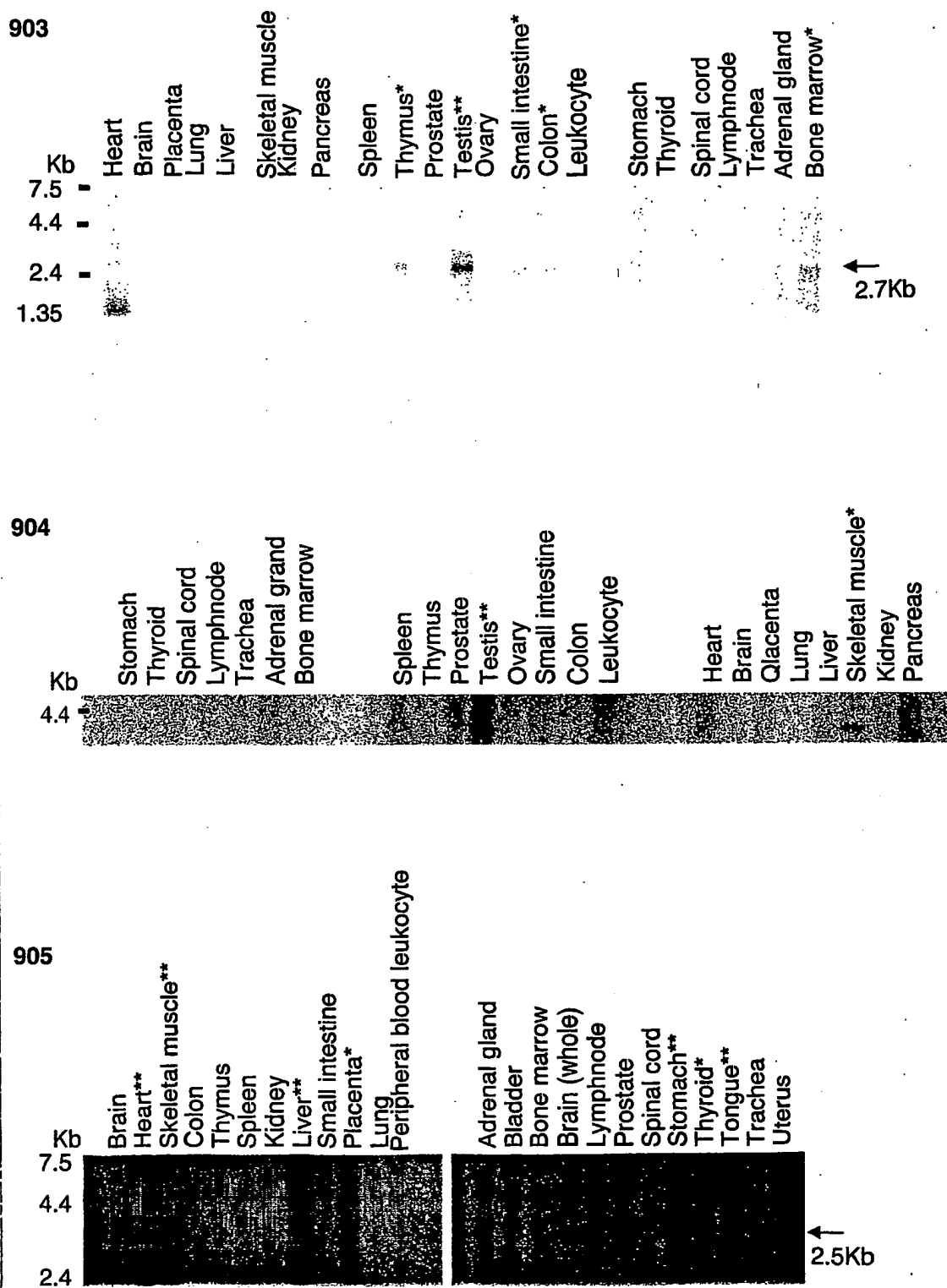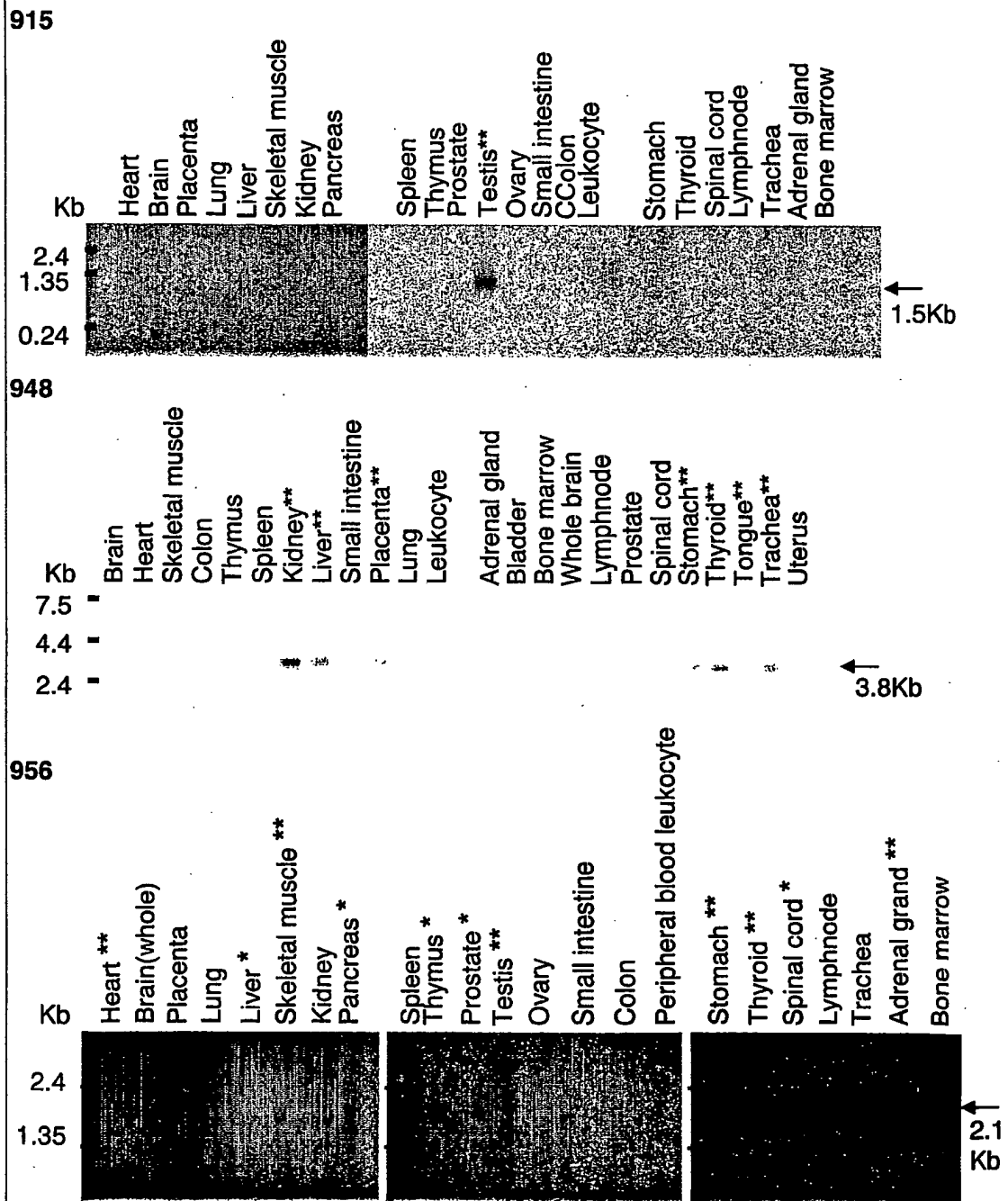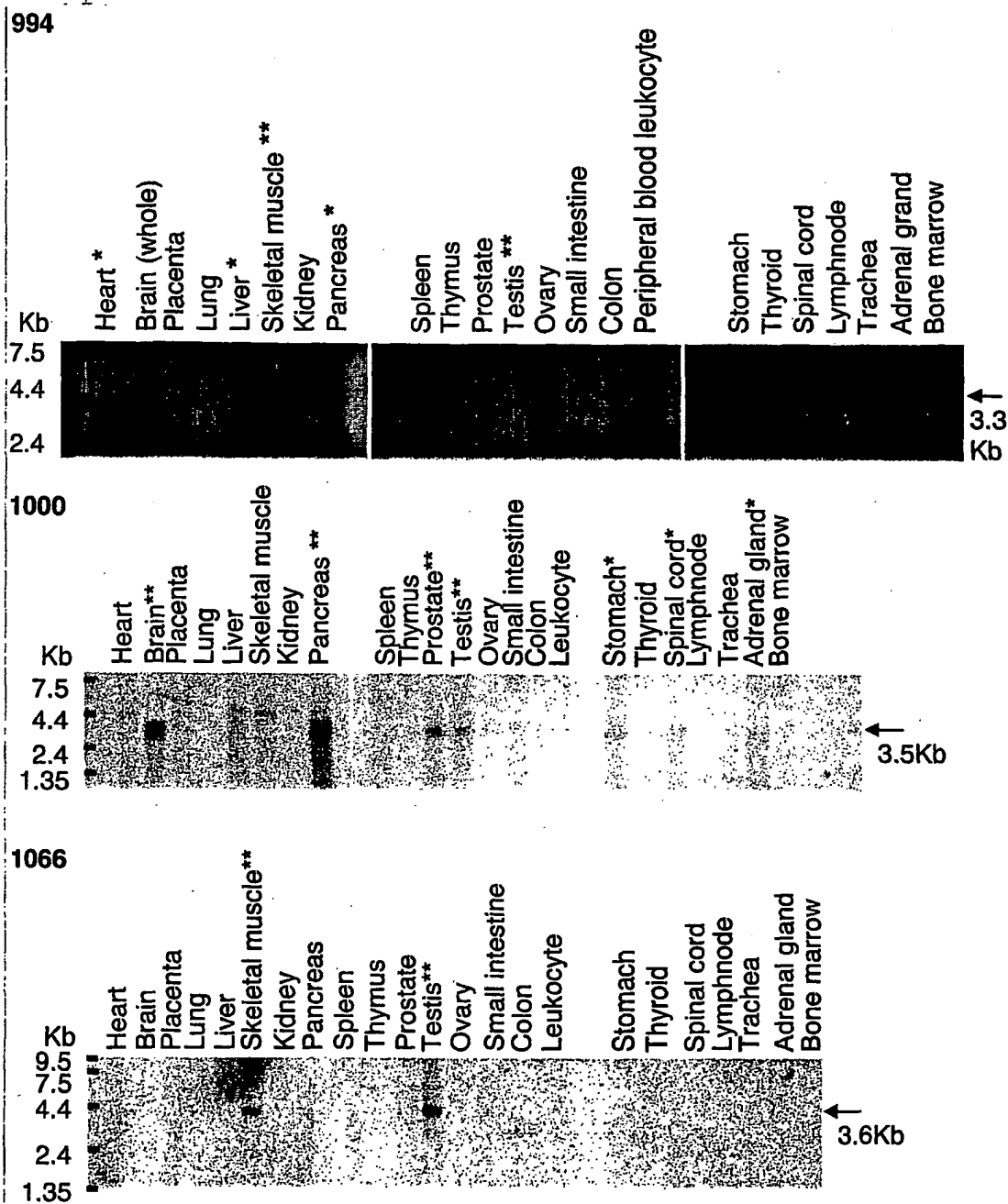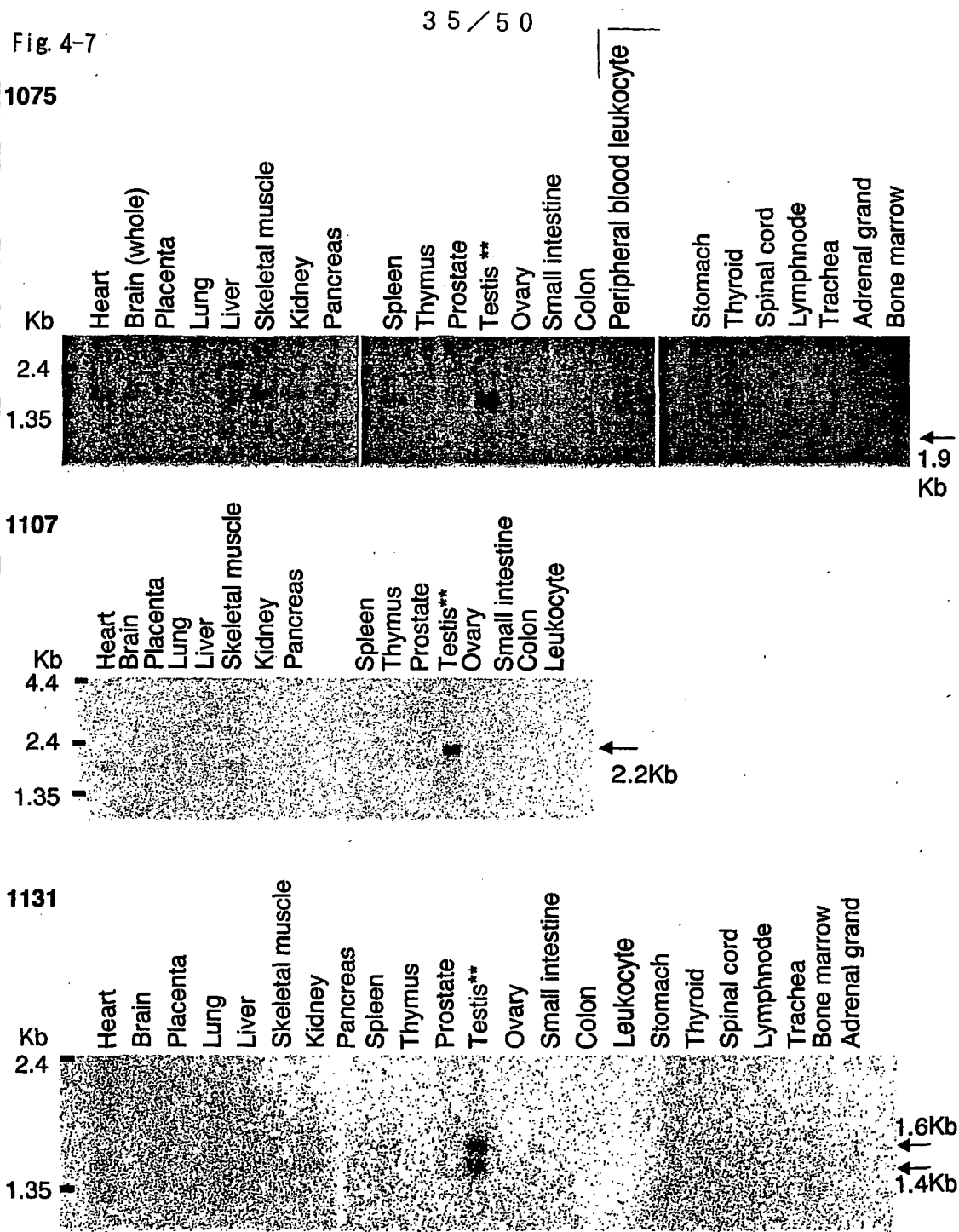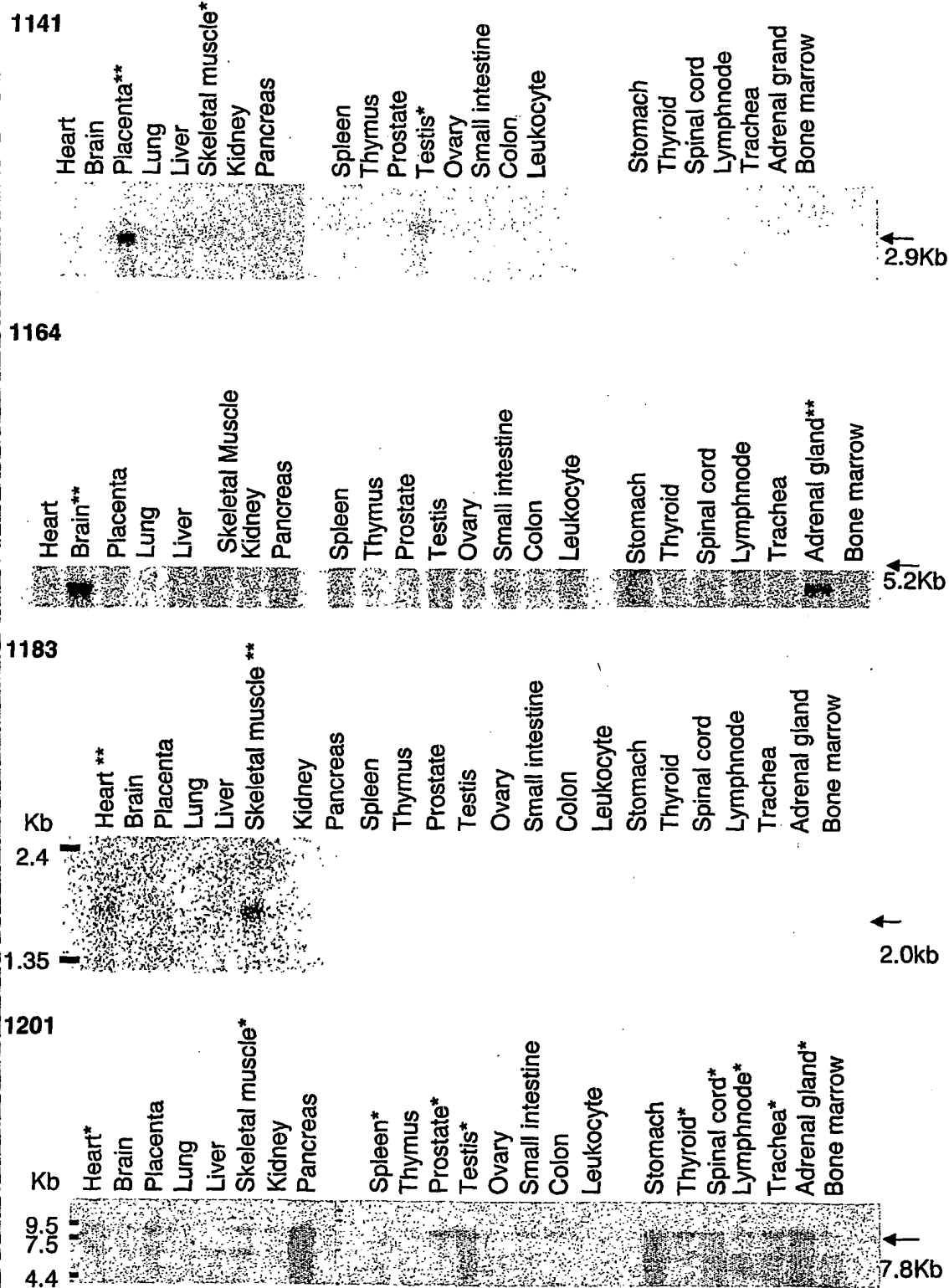
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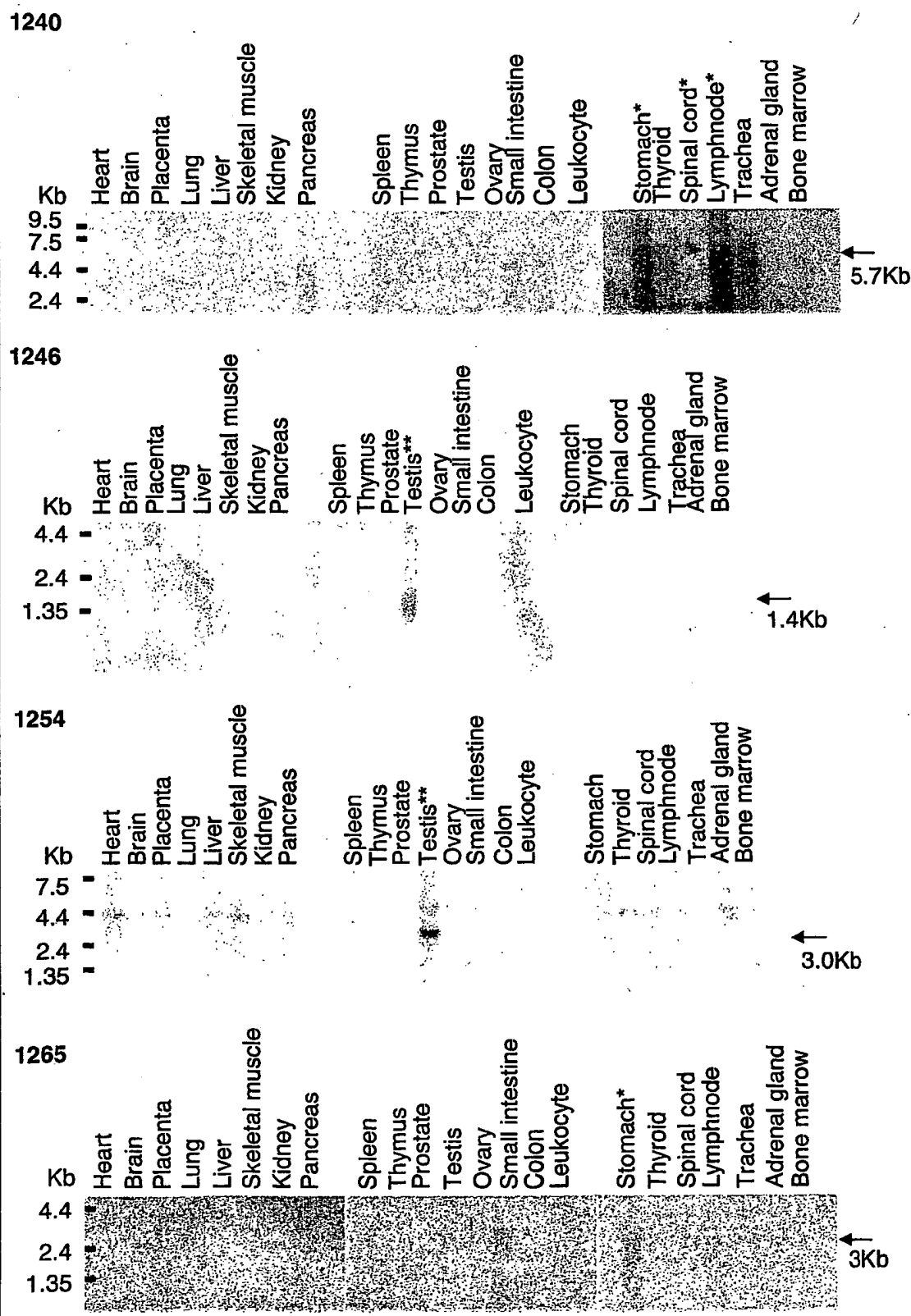
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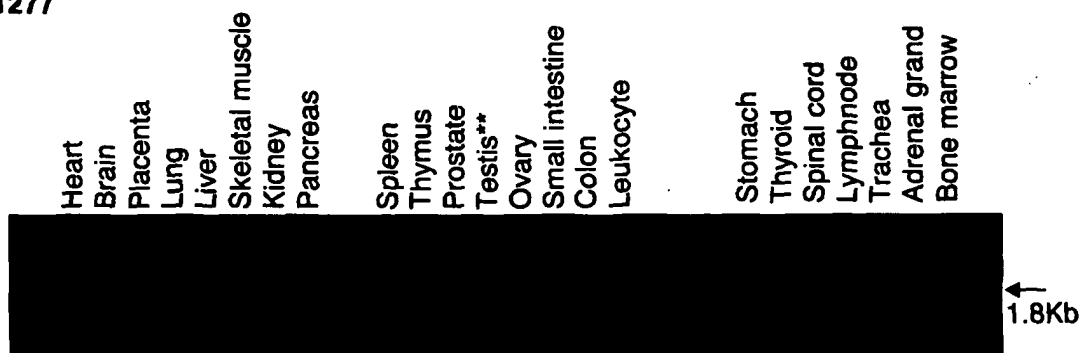
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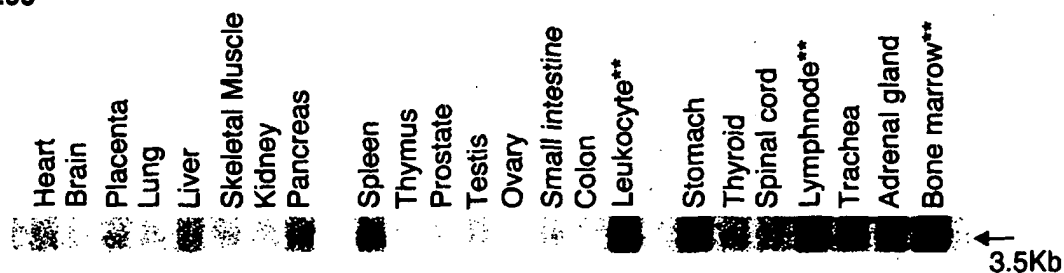
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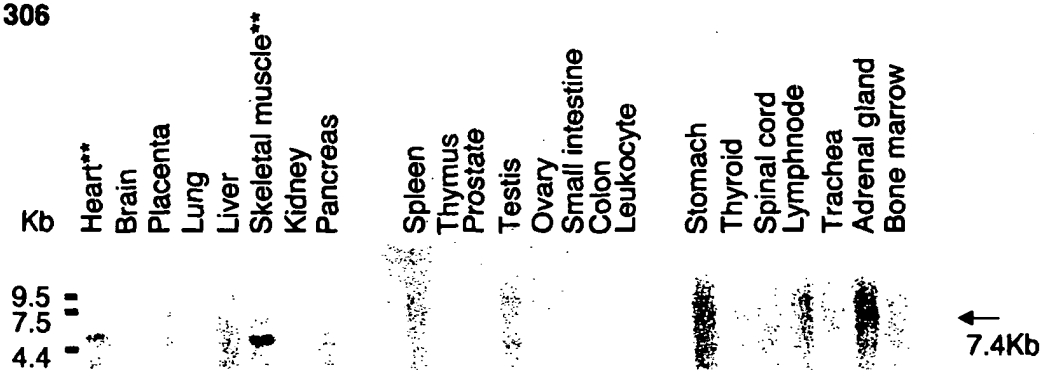
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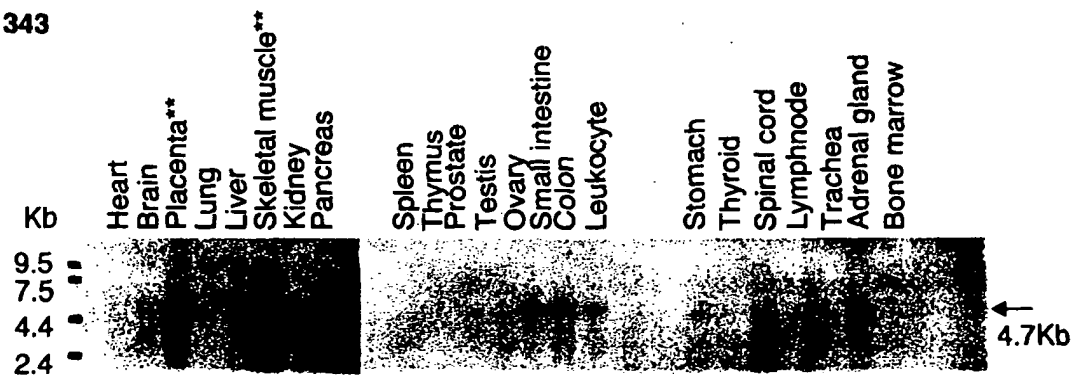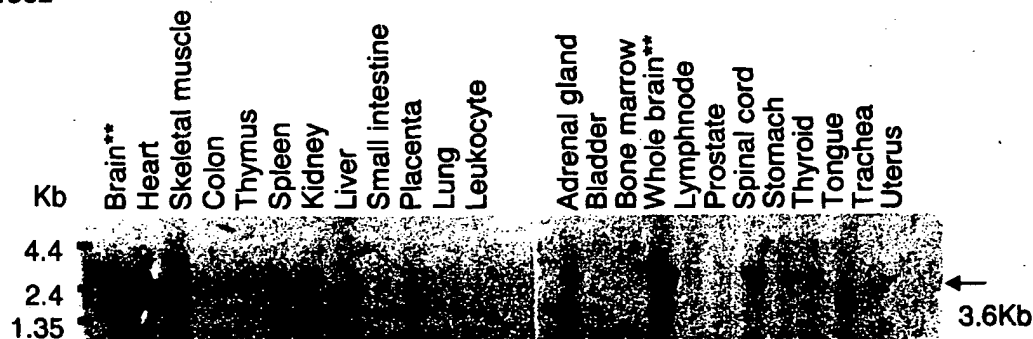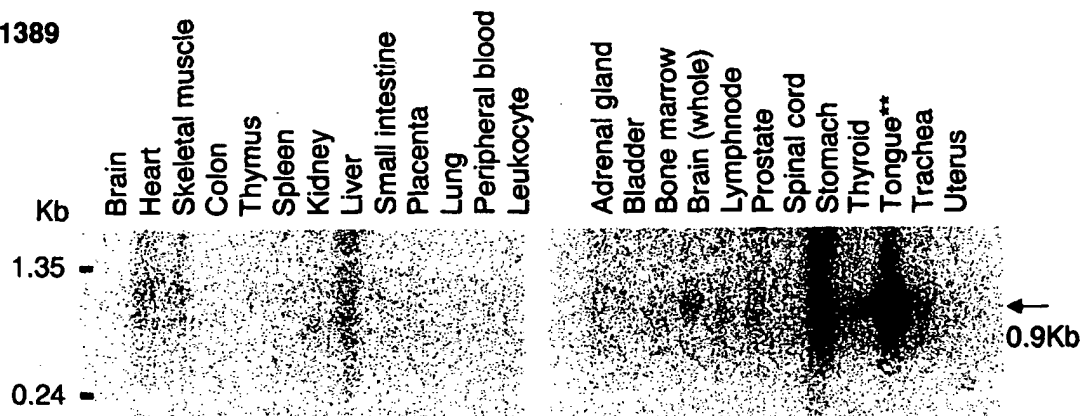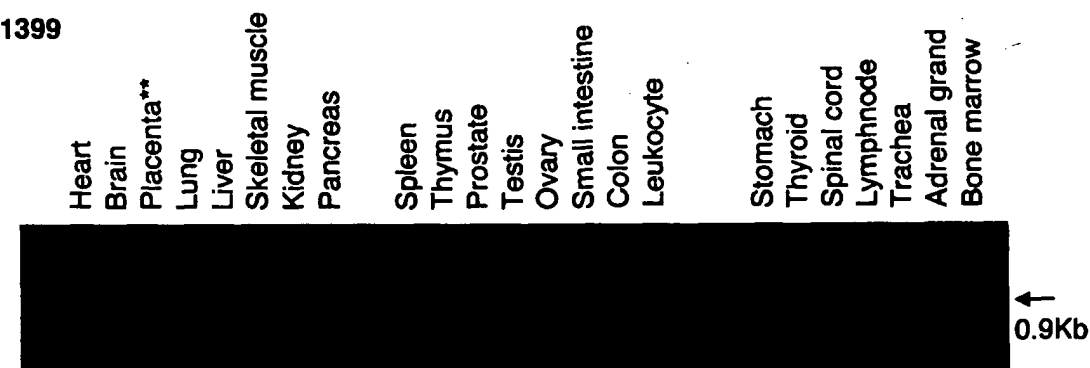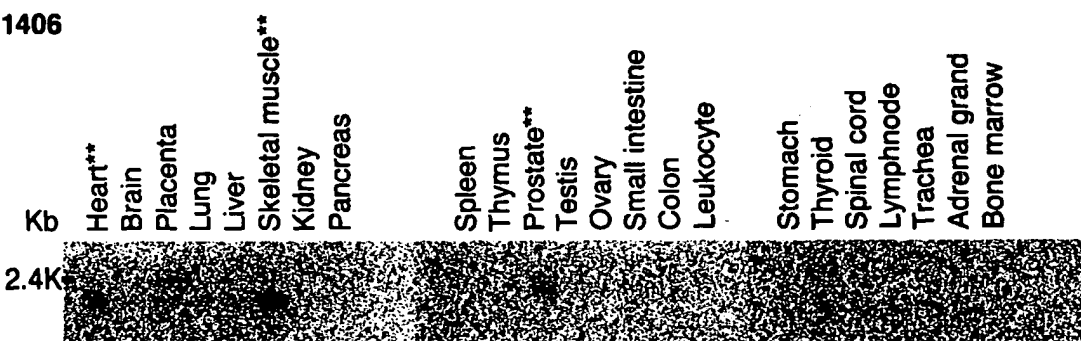
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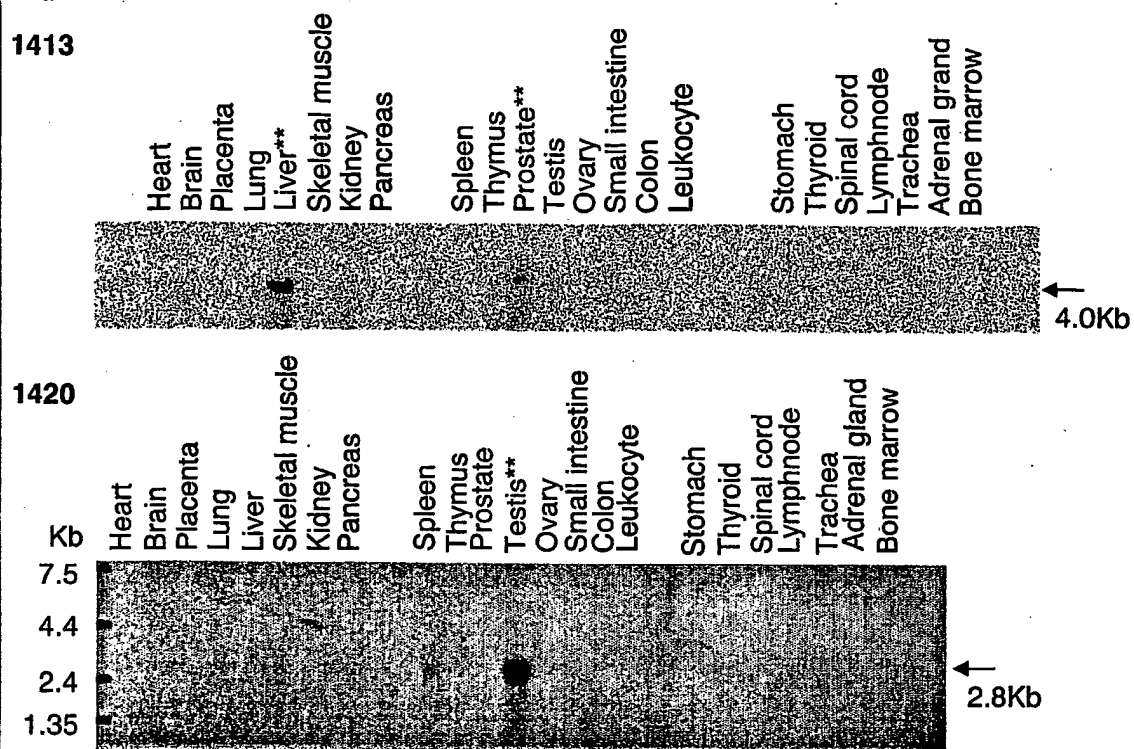
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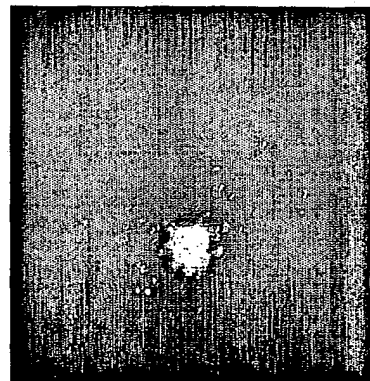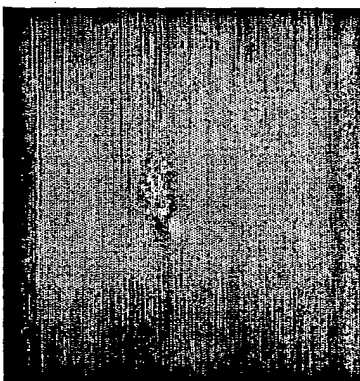
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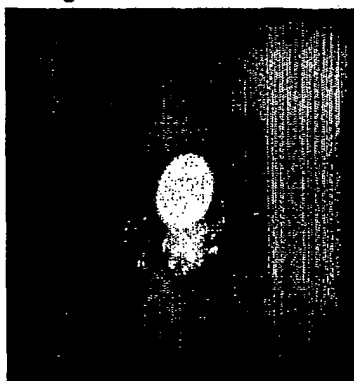
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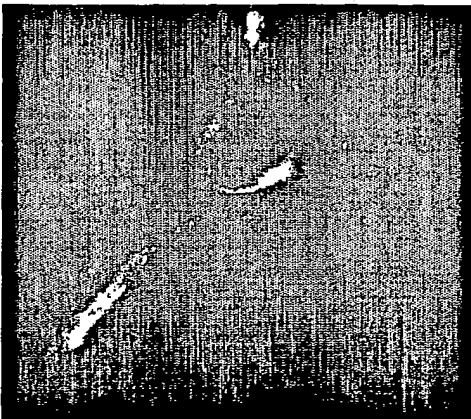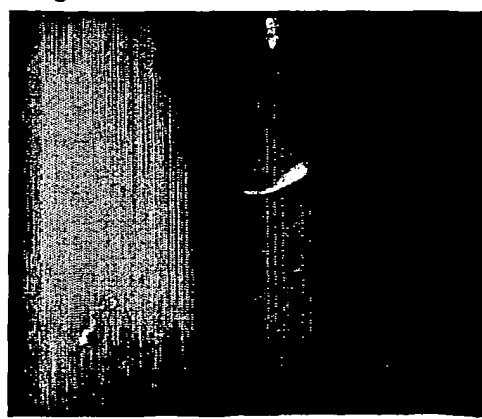
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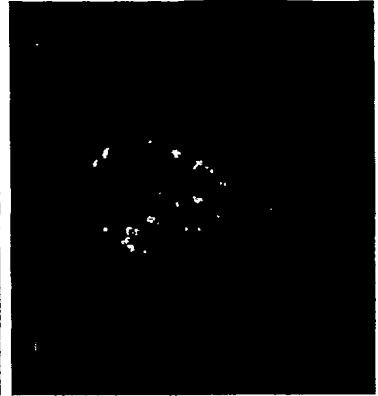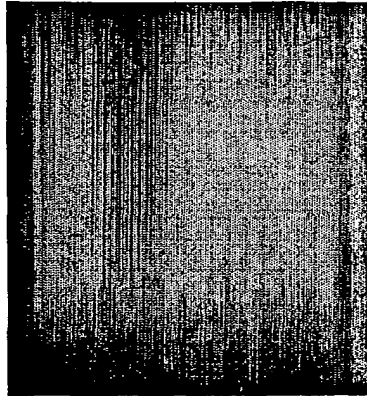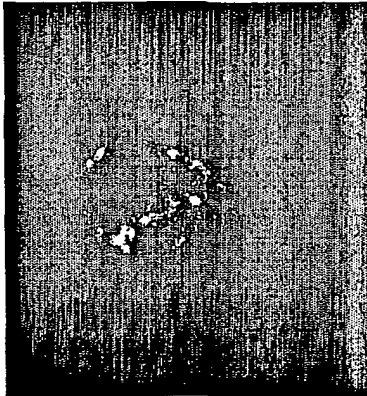
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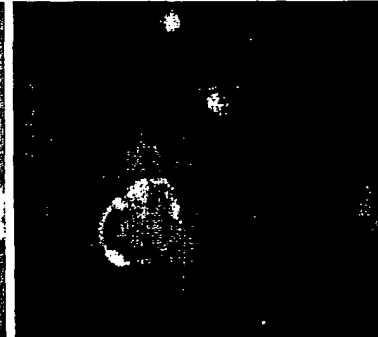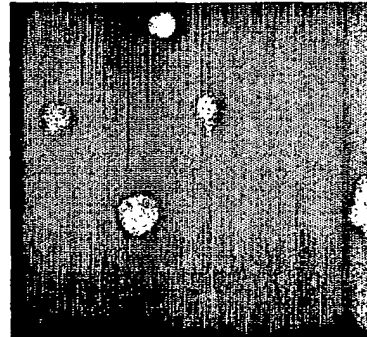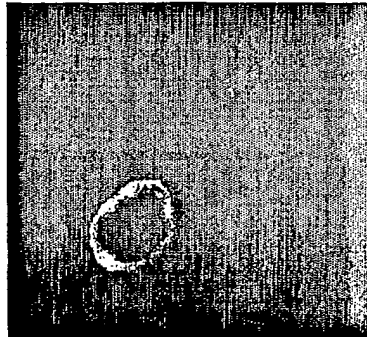
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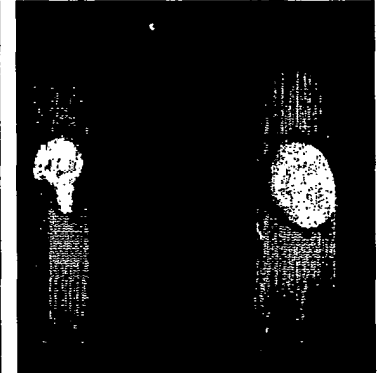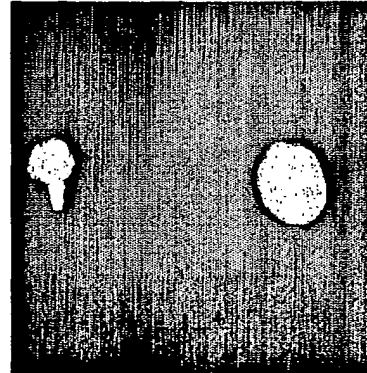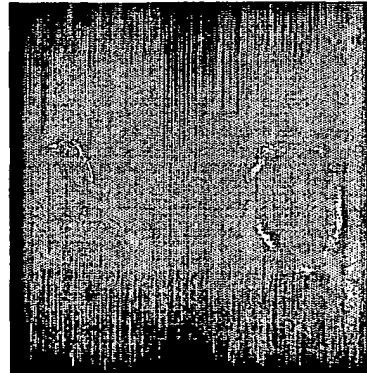
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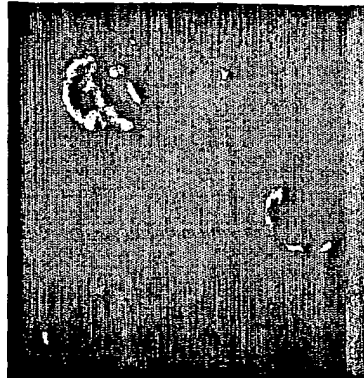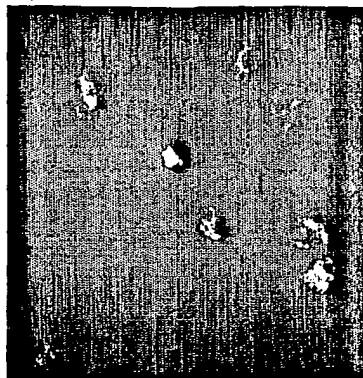
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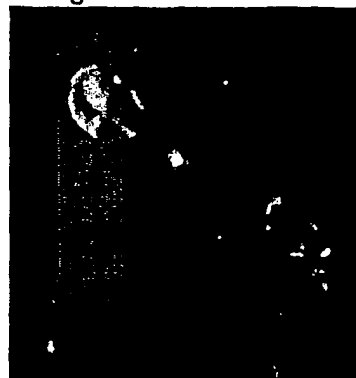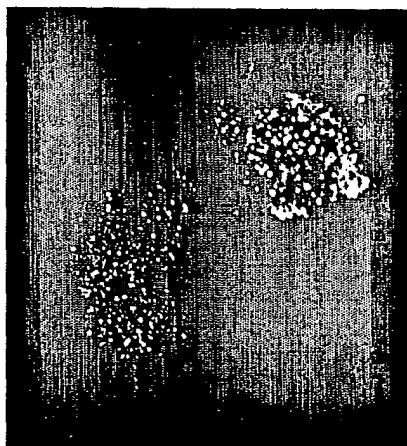
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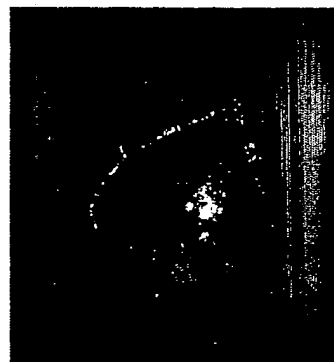
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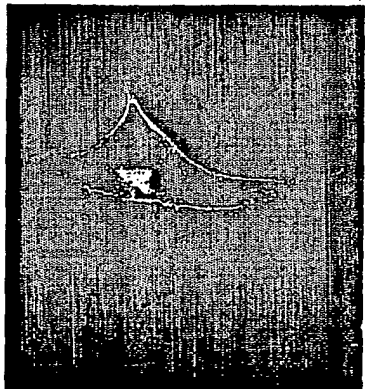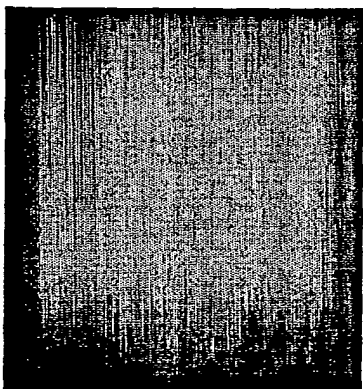
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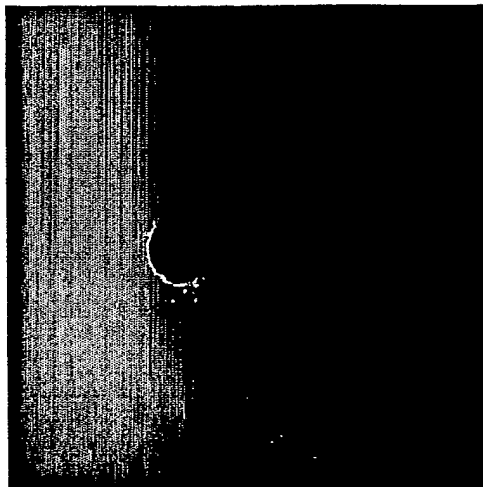
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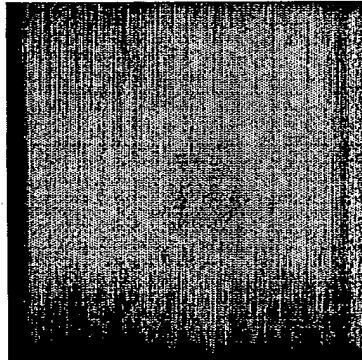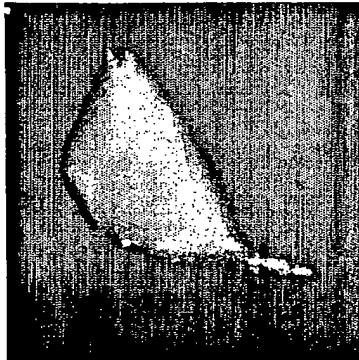
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 A. Subcellular localization

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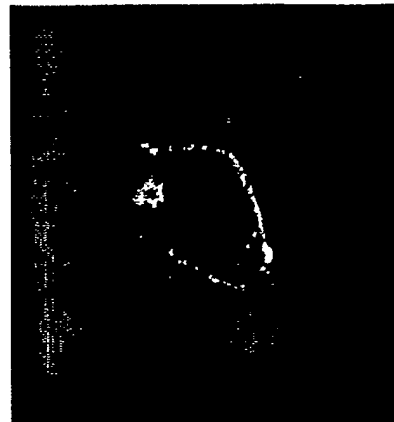
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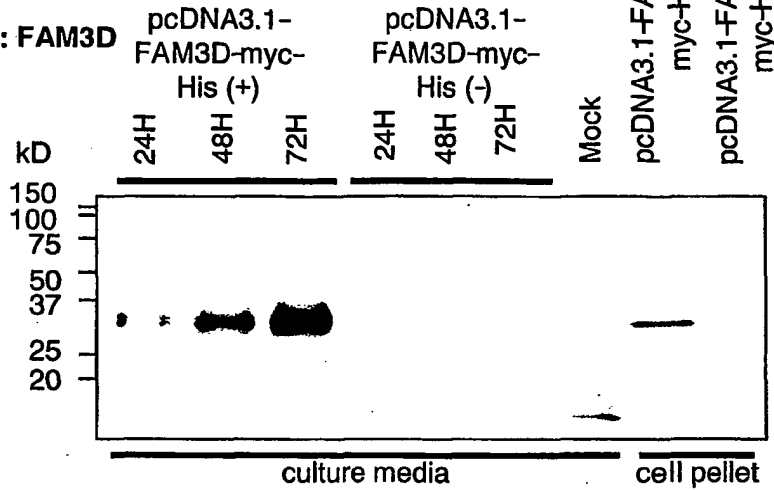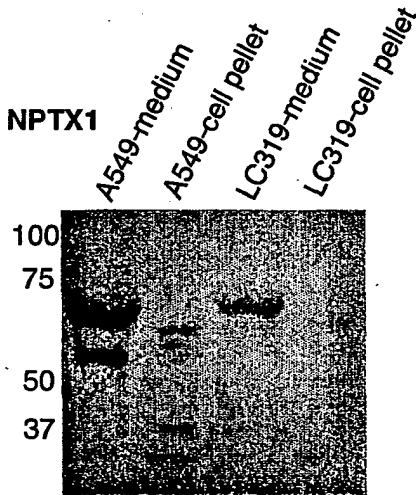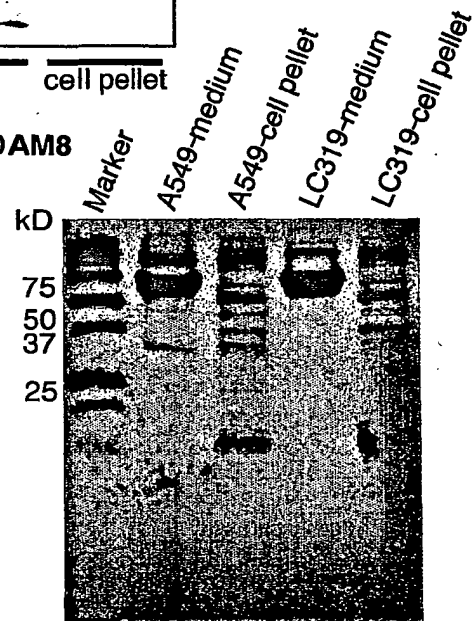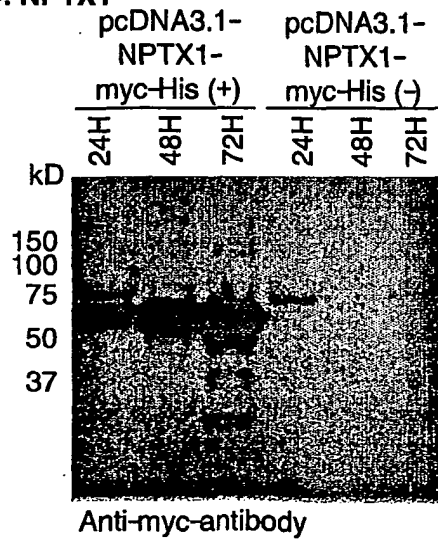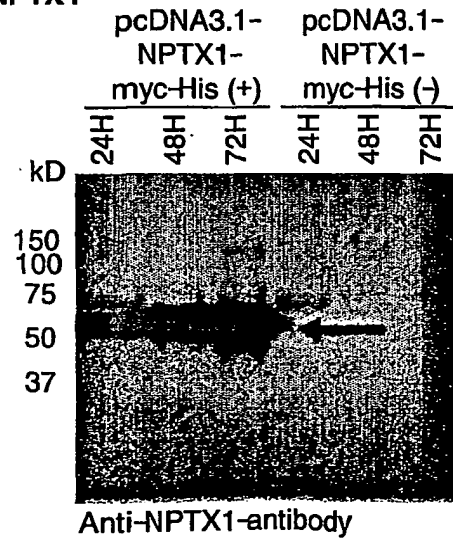
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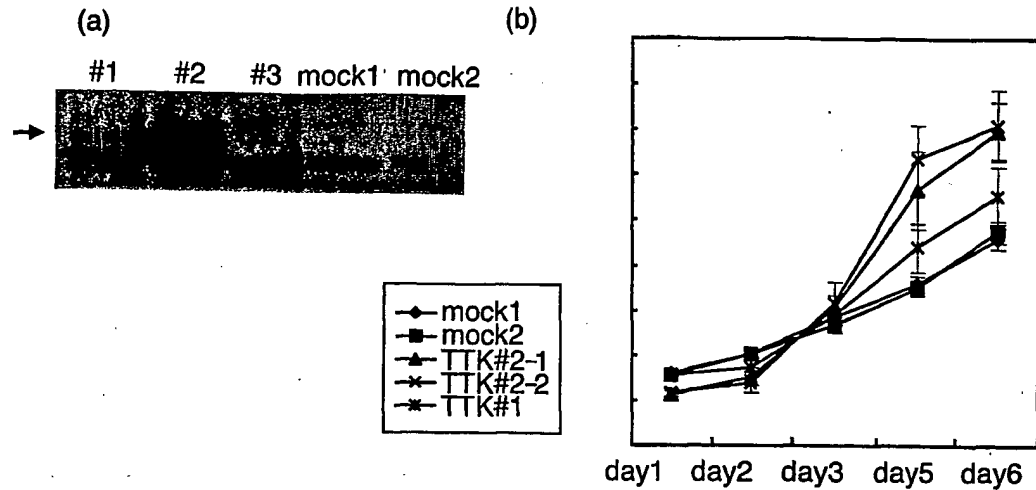
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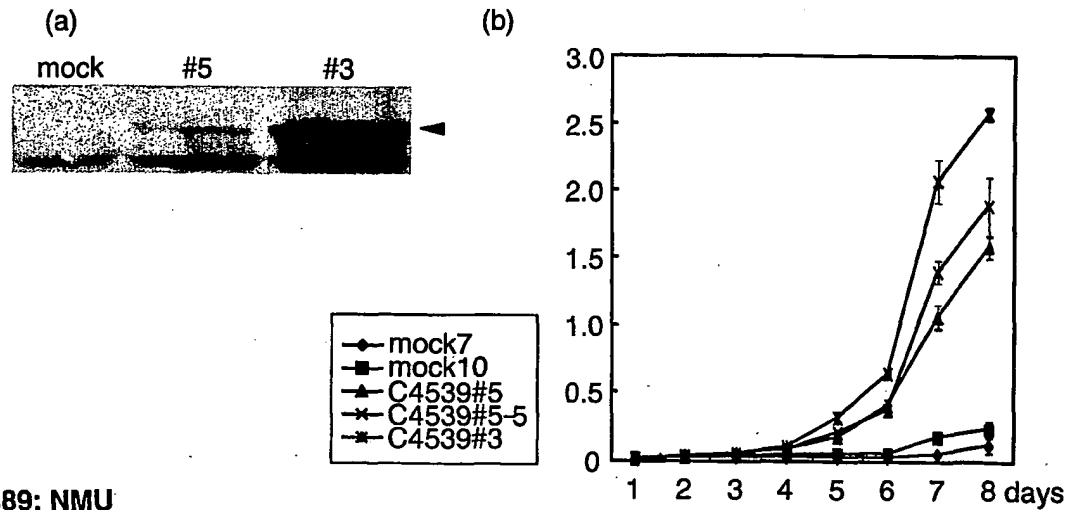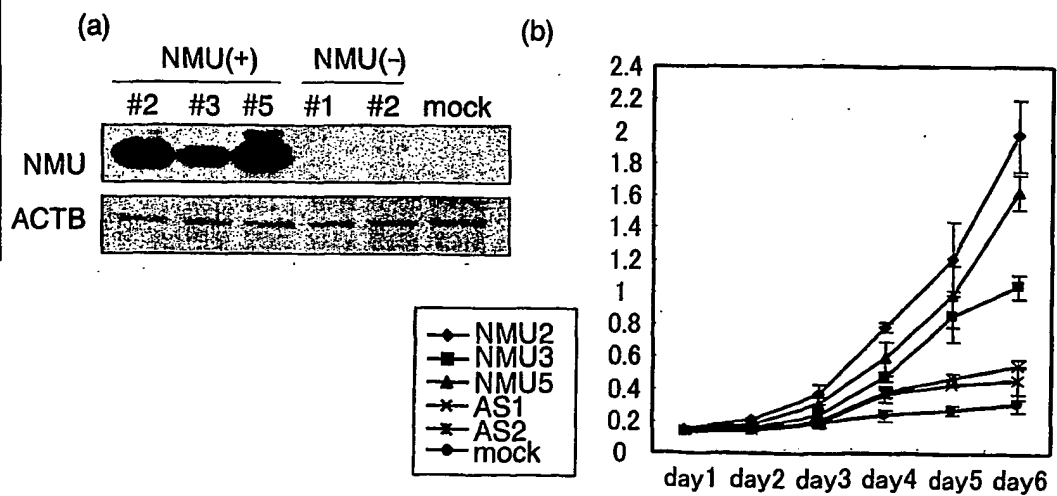
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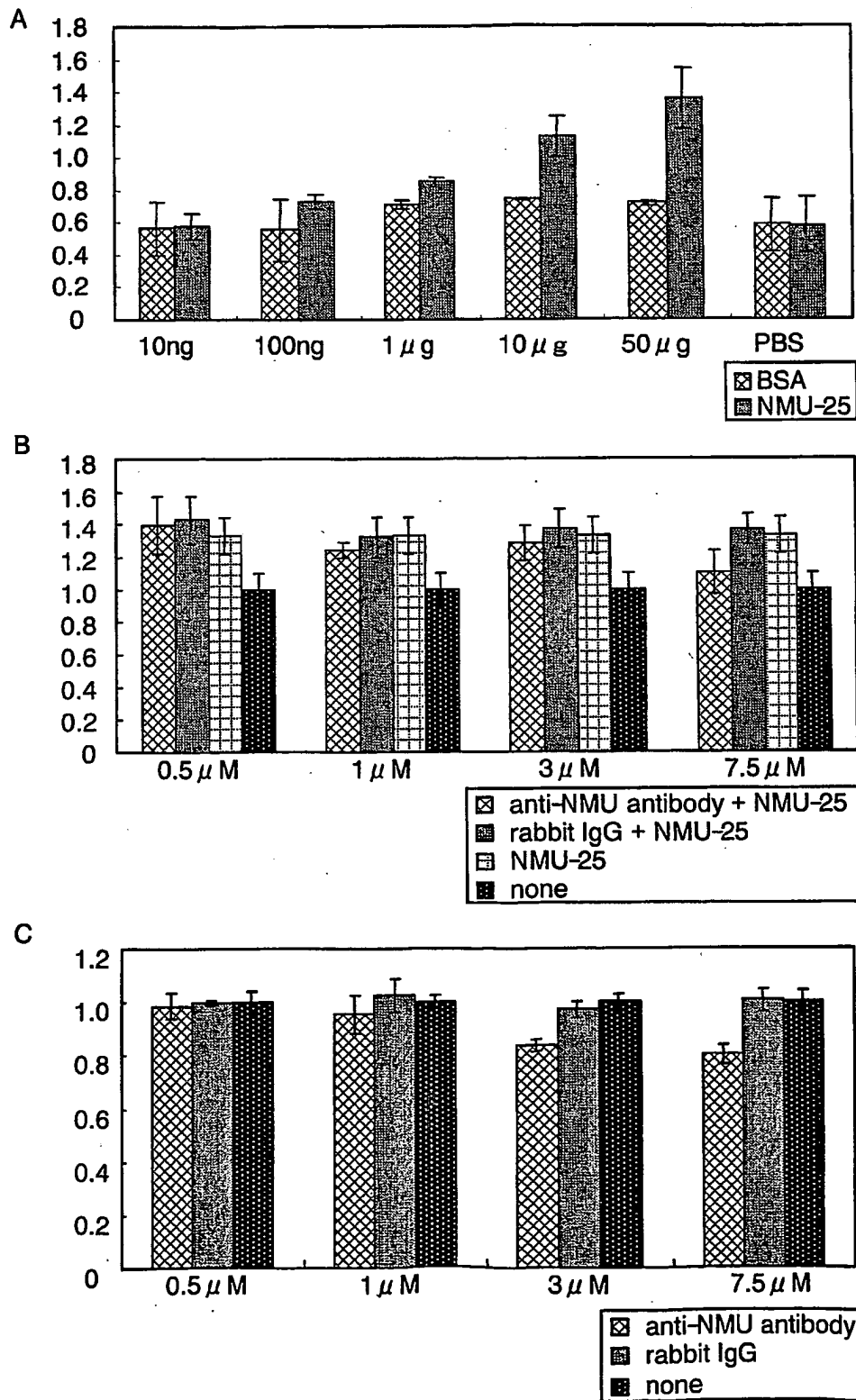
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Fig. 8

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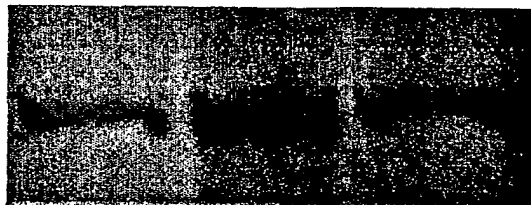
Fig. 9-1

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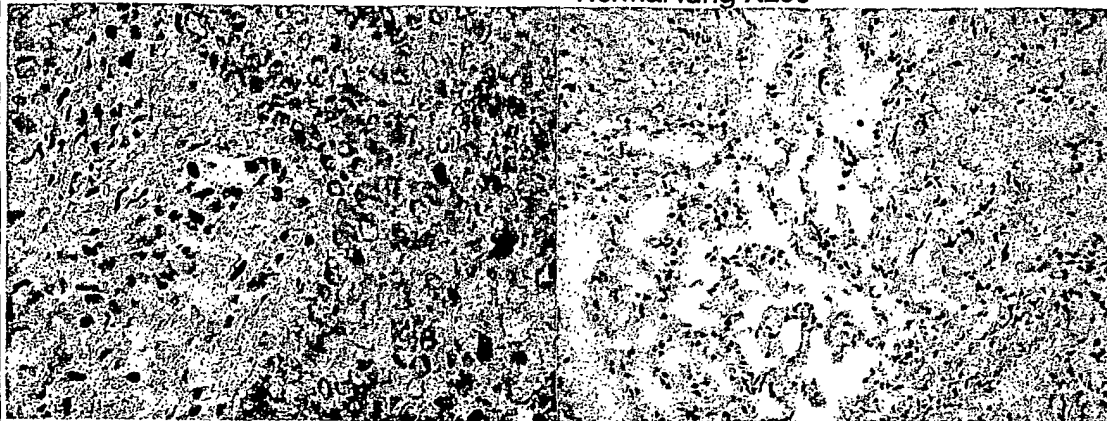
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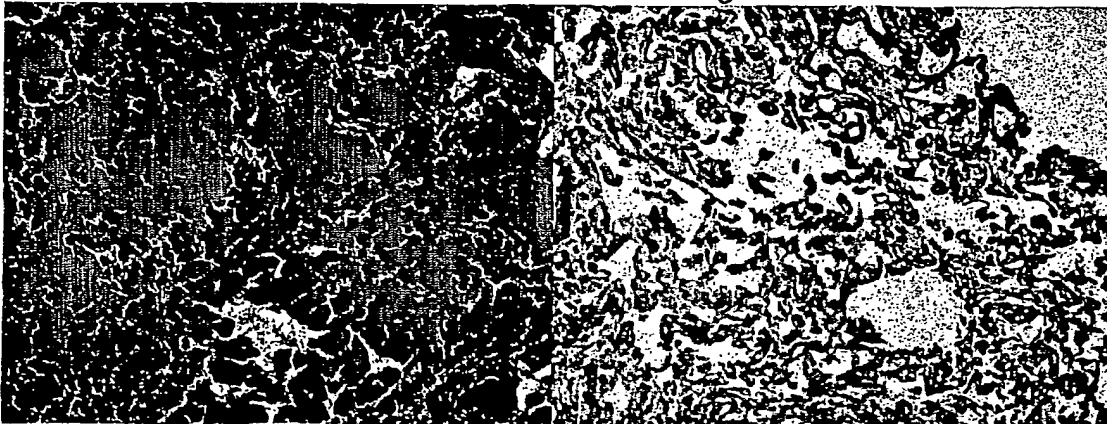
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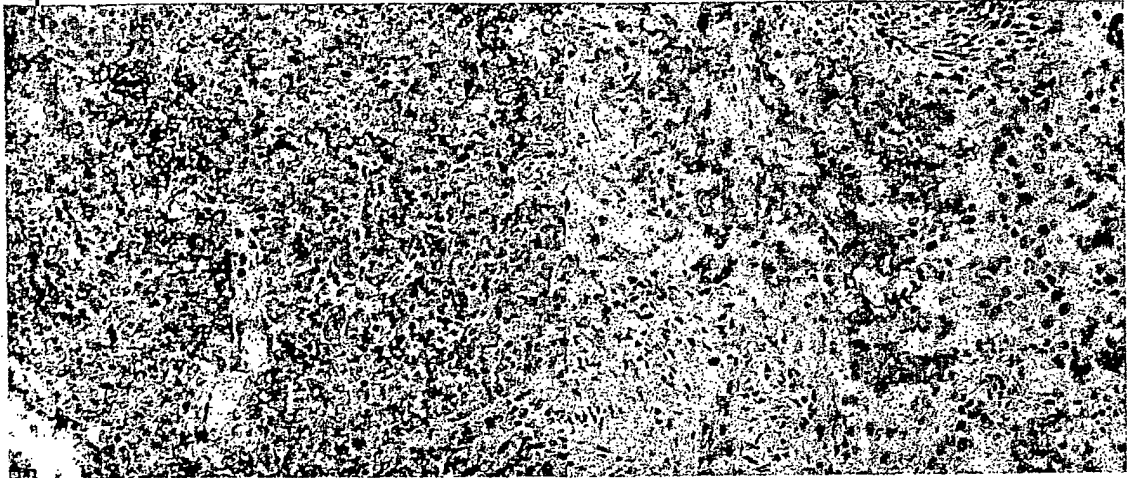
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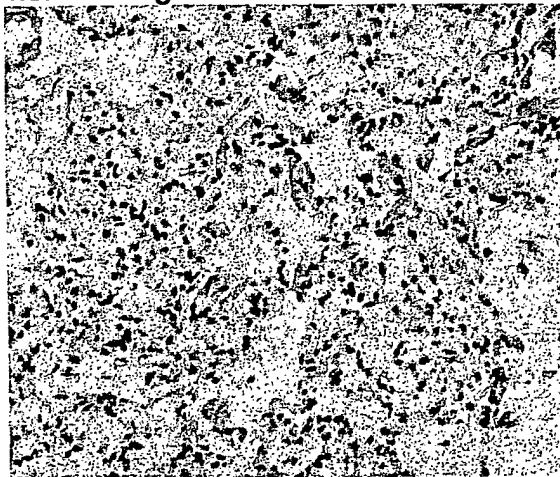
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